

## B.C. Indians Eye U.S. Land

VANCOUVER (CP) — After the Nishga Tribe settles land claims in northwestern British Columbia with the provincial and federal governments, it will take a claim for about 1,000 square miles to the United States government, tribal spokesman James Gosnell said Monday.

Gosnell, president of the Nishga tribal council, said in a telephone interview from Aiyansh, B.C., that the land being claimed is on the south-eastern tip of the Alaska panhandle.

"We've kept quiet about it because we can only fight one battle at a time," said Gosnell.

He said the Nishga's panhandle claim predates the drawing of the Alaska boundary in the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825, 42 years before the United States purchased Alaska from Czarist Russia.

Don Rosenbloom, a Vancouver lawyer representing

the Nishga in land claim negotiations in Canada, said discussions about the panhandle claim would be with the United States department of the interior "when the Nishga tribal council decides to proceed with these negotiations."

He said any such land settlement would have to be ratified by an act of the U.S. Congress.

Delegates representing 2,200 Nishga people during the weekend authorized the tribal council to present a map setting out claims for 5,250 square miles of B.C.'s Nass River Valley to federal and provincial negotiators.

"Once we present it (the map) ... we will be prepared to defend every square inch of it," said Gosnell.

"Among other things, we want guarantees that the Nishga will reap the benefits from the mineral, forestry and fishing resources of our land," said Gosnell.

## STRIKE VOTED AT YARROWS

Shipyards workers at Burrard Dry Dock Ltd. in Vancouver and Yarrows Ltd. in Victoria have voted 60 per cent to go out on strike to back contract proposals.

The ballots were counted today following a strike vote at Burrard on Friday and one at Yarrows on Monday.

Jim McAvoy, president of the Joint Shipyards Conference which represents the 24 unions involved, said there will be another meeting with management before strike notice is served.

## 15-YEAR HIGH FOR CANADA

# Unemployment Soars But B.C. Bucks Trend



DIGGING DEEP, Danny Lewis, 7, of Creemore, Ont., looks for the family car buried beneath 51

centimetres (20 inches) of snow that blanketed the Barrie area. Collingwood and London were also hit.

Times News Services

OTTAWA — The national unemployment rate for October hit 7.6 per cent, the highest seasonally-adjusted rate since 1961, but in British Columbia the jobless rate dropped substantially, Statistics Canada reported today.

A total of 81,000 people were unemployed in B.C. in October, compared with 88,000 in September — a decline of 1.2 per cent to an adjusted rate of 7.3 per cent.

One year ago, there were 96,000 unemployed in B.C. At the same time, the labor force increased from 1,107,000 a year ago to 1,145,000 in September and 1,146,000 in October.

Nationally, although the 679,000 unemployed were less than 800,000 recorded earlier this year, after figures are adjusted for seasonal changes in the work force they reflect a worsening unemployment trend.

This year's previously high jobless rate was 7.4 per cent last April. A Statistics Canada spokesman said the October figure was the highest since the agency revised its statistical methods last year and was the highest at least back through the early 1960s.

In September, there were 670,000 unemployed and the seasonally-adjusted jobless rate was 7.3 per cent. In October, 1975, there were 643,000 unemployed and the rate was 7.1 per cent.

The actual jobless rate in October was 6.6 per cent, compared with 6.5 per cent in September.

The government agency said all provinces with the exception of British Columbia, Newfoundland and Alberta showed increases in their unemployment rates.

Statistics Canada said large increases in the number of men without work contributed to the rise in unemployment.

For men aged 15 to 24 the jobless rate rose by two cent to 13.3 per cent while for men 25 years and older the rate climbed by six-tenths of one per cent to 4.9 per cent.

Jobless rates of other provinces, with September figures in brackets, are: Newfoundland 13.9 (14.4), P.E.I. 11.7 (9.5), Nova Scotia 10.9 (10.4), New Brunswick 11.8 (11.4), Quebec 10.1 (9.7), Ontario 6.3 (5.7), Manitoba 4.9 (4.6), Saskatchewan 4.2 (3.7), Alberta 3.7 (3.7).

## Victoria Outlook 'Grim'

The official unemployment figures are down in Victoria and across British Columbia but the job picture is still grim, Canada Manpower officials said today.

The official unemployment rate for Victoria in October was 6.8 per cent, down from 7.5 per cent in September. It was the first time the jobless rate for Victoria has been published.

Across B.C. the official rate is down to 7.3 per cent from 8.5 per cent, a drop that Canada Manpower officials attribute to a combination of good weather and an exodus of workers.

The unemployment rate will jump sharply again in November if the weather turns cold, Canada Manpower regional manager Stan Purdy said today.

"A cold spell will bring a halt to many construction projects and will produce layoffs in the forest industry."

There were 7,000 people listed as unemployed in the Victoria area during October, down from 7,800 in September.

But during the 30-day period the number of people working actually declined. What happened was more than 1,000 unemployed stopped looking for jobs.

A few of these people moved to Alberta or other B.C. areas looking for employment. Most of the 1,000, however, were university students.

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## Pen OK'd On Farm Reserve

The new B.C. Land Commission has overturned a decision of the old commission and will allow the federal government to build a maximum security penitentiary on agricultural land near Lillooet.

Commission chairman Gary Rumka said he believes the same decision would have been made by the old commission, and the reversal has nothing to do with the purge of the commission by the Social Credit government.

Environment Minister Jim Nielsen fired five of the six NDP-appointed commissioners Oct. 6, leaving Rumka the only commissioner to escape the purge. Sorded appointees were then named to the commission.

On the same day the commissioners received their dismissal letters, the commission had ruled against a federal government application to remove about 80 acres from the Agricultural Land Reserve near Lillooet for the construction of a maximum security penitentiary.

Rumka said today the original decision had "shocked" the federal government and it then came forward with new information on alternative sites and a scaled-down proposal which "the earlier commission had no advance information on."

"We were not aware they were willing to reduce the size of the proposal," Rumka said.

The entire commission last Thursday travelled to Lillooet and looked at the proposed and alternative sites and on Friday decided the penitentiary could be built on a 40-acre site.

Rumka said the 40 acres will remain in the Agricultural Land Reserve, which allows the commission to retain some control as construction proceeds.

Rumka said the policy of reconsidering applications when new information is brought forward was made by the previous commission and was adopted by the Social Credit-appointed commission.

He said he couldn't say for sure whether the old commission would have overturned the original decision, but said he is certain they would have reconsidered the application.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### \$1.2M Settlement

TORONTO (CP) — The federal government has agreed to pay \$1.2 million to the widow and children of Max Buehler of Oakville, a real estate executive who died in an air crash near Frobisher Bay in 1974.

### Smokey Passes On

WASHINGTON (AP) — The original Smokey Bear, for 25 years a living symbol of forest fire prevention, died today at the National Zoo and presumably went to what Congress once referred to as "that great honey tree in the sky." Smokey retired in May 1975, and was replaced by another, younger Smokey. Both bears were housed at the National Zoo.

### A Rich Haul

BRANDON (CP) — Thieves may have roused more pursuit than they bargained for here, during the weekend when they stole nine fur coats — belonging to the wives of such dignitaries as Manitoba Lieutenant-Governor F. J. Jobin, Brandon Mayor Elwood Gorrie, Brandon police chief Dave McNamee and RCMP division superintendent J. R. Corley.

### Inmates Drinking

KINGSTON, Ont. (CP) — Sixty-eight Millhaven institution prisoners, who haven't eaten solids since they began a hunger strike Friday, now are drinking liquids, says Stanley Scrutton, acting prison director.

## Northern Ferry Studied

VANCOUVER (CP) — The B.C. Ferries Corporation, which assumes control of the B.C. Ferries fleet Jan. 1, will consider a new route between Tsawwassen and Kitimat, Transport Minister Jack Davis said Monday.

Davis said this route has been under study by the government's transportation experts to see if there is sufficient demand. He said corporation directors may be

able to make a decision about the route within three to six months.

The minister said the service might be useful in view of a possible pipeline taking Alaskan oil to Edmonton from Kitimat, and added that the highways ministry already is upgrading the logging road north of Hazelton, to permit better access to the Stewart-Cassiar road and the Alaska Highway.

If a new north-coastal route is approved a new vessel

would probably be required, costing between \$7 million and \$18 million depending on route and traffic requirements, he said. It would mainly accommodate trucks and trailers although cars would be permitted, and it would turn around every 24 hours.

Davis also reiterated that the corporation will consider reducing foot passenger fares, with lower rates in the winter and perhaps during off-period days in the week.

civil servant receiving a bomb threat is fairly straightforward: "Listen," the form advises.

It also directs the listener to be calm and courteous, not to interrupt the caller, yet obtain as much information as possible, and copy out the exact wording of the threat.

While the presumed bomber is on the line, laid out procedures for tracing the call and notifying superior authorities by prearranged signal are to be followed.

"Hey, Madge, there's some nut on the line threatening to blow the place up," apparently won't do.

The bomber is obviously expected to be co-operative after such courteous and attentive treatment from the civil servant.

He is to be asked what time the bomb will explode, where it is, why he put it there, what it looks like, where he is phoning from and what his name is.

Should he fail to be co-

operative, the public servant is instructed to describe the caller's identifying characteristics starting with sex and estimated age.

The form doesn't say why the caller shouldn't be asked that directly.

The other characteristics which the civil servant is to listen for are accent (English, French, etc.), voice (loud, soft, etc.), speech (fast, slow, etc.), diction (good, nasal, lisp, etc.), and manner (calm, emotional, vulgar, etc.). He

must listen for and describe background noises and declare whether the voice was familiar or the caller was familiar with the area.

The civil servant must also fill in his own name, his section, branch or department, the name of the person for police to contact and phone number, the date and time of the threat, and the duration of the call.

The form also contains evacuation guidelines — including "keep cool."

## Used Car Warranty Proposed by BCAA

## CUBAN FISHING BOATS CHARGED IN HALIFAX

HALIFAX (CP) — The captains of three Cuban fishing vessels which Canadian officials say violated this country's 12-mile fishing limit Monday were charged today under Canadian coastal fisheries laws.

Pleas of not guilty were entered by a Halifax lawyer on behalf of the three skippers — two Russians and a Cuban.

Trial dates were set for Jan. 4, 5 and 6.

The trawlers Playa Giron and Playa Colorado and their mother ship Oceano Antartico, manned by crews of Spanish-speaking Cubans and some Russians, are alleged to have been spotted on radar about 2,600 yards inside the limit.

They ignored initial instructions to proceed to Halifax, possibly due to language difficulties, and indicated they were awaiting instructions from Cuba, a fisheries official said.

An ultimatum was delivered that armed boarding parties would be sent to the ships and two of them then apparently decided to comply. However, the Playa Colorado turned for the open sea and the Canadian destroyer Iroquois was sent after her.

## WORDPLAY

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## HURT

Send your own WORDPLAY, care of this newspaper

## WEATHER

Tonight: Foggy  
Wednesday: Cloudy

## Union Disclosure Move 'Ridiculous'—Schibli

Victoria trade union leaders are questioning the need for legislation requiring trade unions to disclose their financial affairs in advance of annual meetings.

Labor Minister Allan Williams said in Vancouver Monday the government is considering such legislation.

He said some labor leaders might object but if they have nothing to hide, they have nothing to fear.

John Schibli, president of the Victoria Labor Council, said Williams is implying that unions are not conducting themselves properly. But a Co-ordinated Law Enforcement Unit report last year indicated all was well in the labor movement, he said.

Williams stressed that there is no problem with unions now but Schibli said if that is true, it is "legislation just for the sake of it and it's ridiculous."

"If there's no problem then he should leave it alone,"

Council secretary Larry Ryan said the disclosure matter is an obscure issue, "a straw man" set up by the provincial government.

At any rate, he added, unions adhere to that section of the B.C. Labor Code which requires all unions to provide audited statements to their members prior to annual meetings.

Williams also said the government is considering changes to the labor code concerning certification and decertification procedures.

## ... HOW NOW, COSTLY COW?

OAKVILLE, Ont. (CP) — A syndicate of four United States and Canadian farmers has bought a three-year-old cow for \$235,000 — believed to be the highest price paid for a Holstein cow.

The price for Hanover Hill Barb topped the previous record of \$200,000 paid in May for Romandale Reflection. Both cows were owned by dairy farmer Claude Pickett of nearby Hornby, Ont.

## Oil Companies' Profits \$8.6B

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The U.S. oil industry reported profits for its top 25 companies totalled almost \$8.6 billion during the first nine months of 1976, up 17 per cent from last year's levels.

A report from the American Petroleum Institute said, however, the industry's \$3 billion profits for the third-quarter of this year rose only 9 per cent from the same period in 1975. It said third-quarter profits for U.S. industry in general grew more than twice as fast.

## Bomb Threat? Simply Fill Out a Form

By IAIN HUNTER

Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — Nothing, not even a bomb threat, will deter the Ottawa bureau from filling in forms.

The anonymous announcement over the phone that a bomb had been placed in the building would send the ordinary office worker in some distress into the street.

Not so the steadfast public servant. He has been instructed to

turn to the appropriate form, pen and-or pencil at the ready.

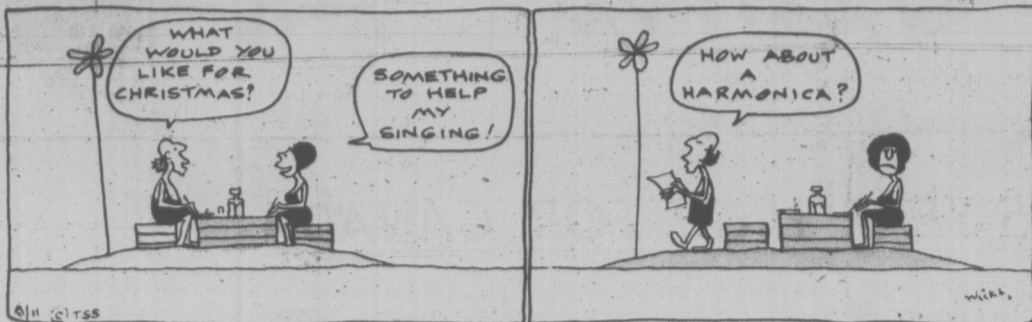
Only after the form has been filled out is he permitted to gather up his leftover lunch bag and leave the building.

The orange form, entitled "Bomb threat telephone procedures," is being distributed to all government departments by the Canadian Bomb Data Centre which comes under the Protective Policing Division of the RCMP.

The first instruction to the



## THE OUTCASTS



by Ben Wicks

## Geneva Meeting Stalemate Denied

GENEVA — Ivor Richard, British chairman of the Rhodesia conference, rejected any talk of a stalemate today but warned against expecting the negotiations between rival white and black delegations to be "nice and smooth."

Richard returned to Geneva to continue his bilateral talks with the rival leaders after a 24-hour trip to London to report to British Foreign Secretary Anthony Crosland.

"Everyone who expected things to be nice and smooth from point A to point Z were deceiving themselves," Richard said on arrival at Geneva airport.

"But there is no stalemate," he said. "It is going better than I expected but slightly slower than I hoped."

Richard said he will continue his "intensive bilateral consultations" with the leaders of the four black nationalist delegations and the white Rhodesian faction headed by foreign minister Pieter van der Byl.

Richard flew to London Monday after the conference reached an impasse on setting a firm date for independence in Rhodesia under majority rule.

Richard said he expects the talks to continue "at least until Christmas." He said he hopes "this will have a definite effect on the date of the settlement."

In Salisbury, a Canadian volunteer in the Rhodesian army and eight black nationalist guerrillas — two of them

women — were killed in new clashes in Rhodesia, security officials disclosed today in Salisbury.

The Canadian was identified as L. Cpl. Matthew Charles Lamb, 28, an Ontario bachelor. He was one of several hundred foreigners recruited by the Rhodesian government to fight against the guerrillas.

A communiqué said two women described as "terrorists" were killed in clashes during the last 48 hours with security forces. This was the first time the white minority government acknowledged that black women were fighting against government troops.

In the latest upsurge of almost four years of war 11 black civilians have been slain — one by security forces when they refused to halt when challenged — and the others by guerrillas, the communiqué said.

The communiqué did not further identify the Canadian volunteer or give his home town.

Last month, another Canadian, Trooper Michael McKewen of Dartmouth, N.S., was sentenced to one year in jail for refusing to fight after he joined the Rhodesian army.

Published reports have indicated that representatives of the Rhodesian government have tried to recruit a number of Canadians for the Rhodesian forces. Canadian officials have stated such recruitment is illegal, but Canada has no diplomatic relations with Rhodesia.

Black Rhodesian leader Joshua Nkomo indicated in a Geneva interview that Rhodesia under black rule will look to the Soviet Union for friendship, support and aid rather than to the United States.

"The relationship between us and any other country would be governed by its attitude during our period of armed struggle," said the 59-year-old older statesman of black politics in Rhodesia.

## Children Shot, Say Refugees

OSEAKATI, South-West Africa (Reuters) — Refugees fleeing the fighting in southern Angola are telling of children shot and young girls raped, officials here said today.

The refugees said they left their homes to escape a battle between Cuban-assisted government forces and troops of the rebel Union for the Total Independence of Angola (UNITA).

They said the Cuban and Angolan troops, using tanks, heavy guns and planes, have launched an all-out offensive against the guerrillas.

More refugees were expected to stream across the border into South-West Africa (Namibia) today to join the estimated 3,000 who have arrived in the last week.

Officials here told reporters most of the refugees are off women and children. Most of them carried few possessions. Some of the women were pregnant while many carried weak babies.

The refugees told of a massacre of civilians, the officials said. Crops and villages have been destroyed and livestock slaughtered.

Some refugees said young sons, some 10 years old, were shot in front of them. Others reported that young black girls were raped, the officials said.

A reporter for the South African Broadcasting Co. said Monday night he has seen through binoculars troops throwing grenades into houses. The sound of artillery and rifle fire were audible, he said.

UNITA, led by Jonas Savimbi, was one of the nationalist forces defeated by the Cuban and Soviet-backed Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola (MPLA) early this year in Angola's civil war.

Military observers said it appeared a major drive is under way to crush UNITA which has been waging a guerrilla campaign from bases in the south and east of the country.

## Victoria Jobless Picture Grim

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dents who returned to school or housewives or other workers who just quit looking for jobs. "When the economy is poor, people get discouraged and they stop looking for work," Purdy said.

"When the economy is improving, there are large numbers of unemployed people on the list because so many are looking for jobs."

Ruth Emery, Canada Manpower district economist for Vancouver Island, said the economy of British Columbia continues to be sluggish despite the down trend in unemployment numbers.

"If you look at the numbers it looks like things are getting better. But in fact very little has changed. It is more a case of people deciding to stop looking for work."

In the Victoria area for example, the number of "actives" in the adult community is continually declining.

Actives are people over 15 who are either employed or seriously looking for work. In July only 58.9 per cent of the adult population was on the active list and this fell to 57.6 per cent in August, 56.2 per

cent in September and 55.9 per cent in October.

The non-actives include the unemployed, students, housewives and non-employables.

She said that in a vigorous economy the number of actives would be increasing.

The present decline reflects the generally sluggish nature of the British Columbia economy.

The good news in October was the excellent weather which helped to offset the economic doldrums. Construction was brisk across the province and loggers could continue to work in most areas. The number of tourists was up slightly in October because of the weather as well.

A combination of a wet August and warm September and October kept agricultural workers busy in harvesting well into October.

The picture for November is expected to be a bit bleaker.

## the weather

The atmospheric circulation remains stagnant across B.C. with a ridge of high pressure centered over the Interior. Considerable fog and low cloud is present along the November sun angle some late afternoon but with the low coast and in many of the Interior river valleys. Dissipation of the fog is expected during the afternoon but with the low visibilities through the day. Not much change in the pattern is expected, except that a surge of moisture from the Gulf of Alaska will work its way onto the Panhandle bringing increasing rain or drizzle Wednesday to the north coast.

### ENVIRONMENT CANADA WEATHER OFFICE 10 A.M. FORECASTS

Valid Until  
Midnight Wednesday  
Greater Victoria: Wednesday, mainly cloudy. Highs both days near 12. Lows tonight 5 to 7.

Lower Mainland, East Vancouver Island: Wednesday, mainly cloudy. Highs near 12. Lows tonight 5 to 7.

North and West Vancouver Island: Wednesday, cloudy with occasional showers or spotty drizzle. Highs both days 10 to 12. Lows tonight 5 to 7.

TEMPERATURES  
Yesterday  
Max. Min. Prec.  
Victoria 11 9 1.3  
Normal 11 6

One Year Ago		
Victoria	8	3
Across Canada		
Prince Rupert	7	1
Prince George	3	1
Terrace	5	1
Port Hardy	12	5
Tofino	13	10
Comox	11	8
Vancouver	11	8
Kamloops	9	2
Cranbrook	9	2
Williams Lake	11	11
Fort Nelson	3	4
Peace River	7	4
Edmonton	11	4
Jasper	10	3
Banff	11	4
Calgary	13	6
Lethbridge	15	5
Medicine Hat	13	4
N. Battleford	9	5
Saskatoon	9	6
Swift Current	9	5
Prince Albert	9	0
Moose Jaw	11	4
Regina	10	4
Yorkton	18	2
Thompson	5	12
Brandon	10	5
Winnipeg	6	2
The Pas	6	4
Kenora	0	1
Thunder Bay	2	6
Toronto	1	8
Ottawa	1	11
Montreal	0	10
Quebec	1	8
Halifax	5	3
Charlottetown	3	2
Fredricton	3	5
St. John's	12	0
Whitehorse	5	2
Yellowknife	2	14
Churchill	4	6
Inuvik	7	12

United States							
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Spokane	8 4						
Portland	18 7						
San Francisco	22 12						
Los Angeles	32 15						
Honolulu	29 22						
Las Vegas	27 9						
Phoenix	31 16						
Chicago	2 1						
New York	5 2						
Miami	23 12						
World Temperatures: Amsterdam 10, 4; Athens 24, 14; Bangkok 33, 26; Beirut 24, 12; Berlin 9, 3; Brussels 10, 4; Buenos Aires 25, 11; Copenhagen 10, 7; Frankfurt 14, 3; Geneva 8, 4; Helsinki 6, 3; Hong Kong 26, 20; Johannesburg 23, 10; Kiev 1, 0; Lisbon 16, 12; London 12, 7; Madrid 11, 4; Mexico City 13, 8; Moscow 2, -2; Paris 10, 8; Rio 26, 15; Rome 18, 12; Sao Paulo 23, 11; Seoul 19, 5; Singapore 27, 23; Stockholm 9, 7; Taipei 24, 20; Tehran 18, 7; Tokyo 17, 12.							
CITY'S WEATHER RECORD							
Sunshine November	32.0 hrs.						
Last November	21.0 hrs.						
Normal (30 years)	28.5 hrs.						
Sunshine, 1976	1992.3 hrs.						
Last Year	2002.5 hrs.						
Normal (30 Years)	2077.1 hrs.						
Precipitation, Nov.	3.1 mm						
Last November	61.0 mm						
Normal (30 Years)	18.1 mm						
Precipitation, 1976	486.3 mm						
Last year	528.3						
Normal (30 Years)	471.8 mm						
Sunrise, Sunset Wednesday (Pacific Standard Time)							
Sunrise 7:14	Sunset 16:41						
TIDES AT VICTORIA							
(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)							
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## Annual Election Nixed

Oak Bay council made it clear Monday night it intends to stay with annual municipal elections despite decisions by Victoria and Sidney to move to biennial elections.

Four members of council — Mayor Brian Smith and Aldermen Doug Watts, Shirley Dowell and Isabel Craig — favored annual elections.

The other three aldermen were not present — Norm Pimlott, John Gault and Doug McLelland.

Mayor Smith said he thinks biennial elections "a dumb idea." He doubted they will produce more involvement by the public and felt they were

being put forward as a pancea.

"It's up to councils to figure out the way to stimulate interest," he said. "There is more democracy with annual elections than having to wait two years."

He said Oak Bay doesn't have much trouble getting 35 to 40 per cent turnouts in non-mayorally years and asked why this couldn't be done in Saanich.

Craig referred to a Victoria Times story Monday which indicated Vancouver's switch to biennial elections didn't heighten voter interest.

Watts said Oak Bay should

"watch with interest" the experience of those who change.

"I doubt they will get a greater percentage turnout," he said. "Annual elections give you regular feedback and this is healthy."

He considered the switches to biennial elections to have been "made in haste."

Dowell said if the whole council is thrown out in a biennial election (which can't happen when only half the council comes up for annual election), the municipal staff would end up running affairs because it takes a council member a year to learn the job.

### capital scene

Esquimalt Garden Club dinner and election of officers Wednesday, Nov. 10, 6 p.m., 527 Fraser St.

Grace MacInnis NDP Club Wednesday, Nov. 10, 2 p.m., 1018 Blanshard St.

Consumers' Association of Canada will present Consumer Fair Saturday, Nov. 13, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Hillside Shopping Centre, B.C. Hydro, Dept. of Consumer Services, Consumer Resources, Dept. Consumer and Corporate Affairs will sponsor some of the displays.

Guild of St. Christopher's Anglican Church rummage sale Saturday, Nov. 13, 10 a.m. in the church hall, Carey and Tillicum Roads.

St. Philip's Church bazaar Saturday, Nov. 13, 2-4 p.m., 2938 Eastdowne Rd.

The Secession Gallery of Photography will present a slide lecture on the work of Peter Emerson, a 19th century photographer and writer who founded naturalistic photography, tonight at 8 at 519 Fort St.

Britannia Branch No. 7, Royal Canadian Legion, Tuesday, Nov. 16, 7:45 p.m., 732 Cormorant.

Ecumenical Women's Outreach fall rally, Wednesday, Nov. 17, 10 a.m., 1611 Quadra.

Victoria Camera Club print clinic, Wednesday, Nov. 17, 8 p.m., Camarvon Park Pavilion.

Diocesan Board of the Anglican Church Women, Friday, Nov. 19, 10 a.m., St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill Cross Rd.

Victoria Legal Secretaries' Association Estate Workshop, Saturday, Nov. 20, Cornett 163, UVic. Phone 386-1465 or 387-3511 for further information.

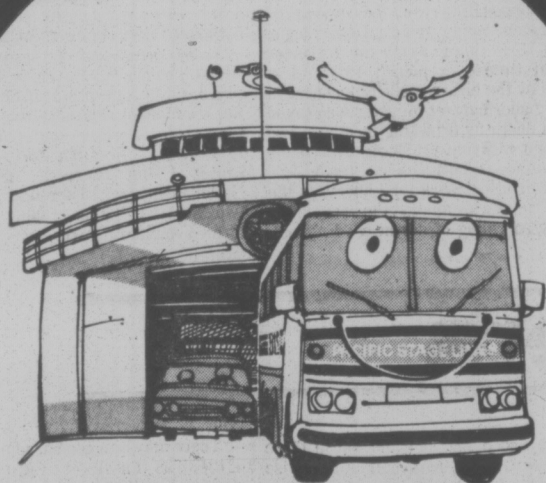
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## The Assessment Mess

Property assessments for municipal taxation purposes don't cause the wild-eyed antagonisms generated by doubled ferry rates. Yet on a per capita basis the provincial government's refusal to come to grips with the recommendations of the McMath commission is costing the average taxpayer far more money annually than doubled rates. Robert McMath, the former Richmond alderman who chaired the eight-man assessment commission, has said that property taxation is higher in proportion to income in B.C. than any other province in Canada.

While the report is still secret, its contents have been leaked out. Among the recommendations: within five years the provincial government should pay 75 per cent of all education costs, provincial grants in lieu of municipal taxes should be increased to 100 per cent of the municipal taxation rate and all property should be assessed at full market value. None of the proposed reforms is radical. B.C. education financing is probably the most backward in Canada and provincial land assessment is a morass of ad hoc solutions which are undoubtedly

among the most complicated in Canada. Many of the proposed reforms have been in effect in other jurisdictions for years.

Like so many of B.C.'s economic and social problems, the assessment problem was never dealt with under the long reign of W.A.C. Bennett's Social Credit government. While other jurisdictions attempted to keep up with changing times, the Socreds revelled in building dams and highways while the provincial infrastructure mouldered. In 1974, the NDP froze assessments and started the McMath commission. Last May, under the new Social Credit administration, the commission was bullied into finishing its report by July 31. When the report was turned over to the government last August the chairman protested it was only an interim report, as a complete report would have taken until the end of the year. A similar assessment-taxation study in Ontario took four years.

Considering the government's impatience to get its hands on the commission's product one would assume quick action would follow. Now the report has been turned over to a

cabinet committee for further study. Questioned about the report, Municipal Affairs Minister Hugh Curtis would say nothing. The premier passed the buck to the finance minister who will make a statement at some later date. It becomes obvious that this tight-fisted regime will do nothing to increase its share of the education taxes at this time. Nor does it have any intention of paying its fair share of municipal taxes when it can get away with a 70 per cent lower grant figure, as is the case in Victoria.

So it appears we will continue with a system whereby one household may be paying double the property taxes of a similar property within the bounds of one municipality. If one has sympathy with the provincial government as the heir to a chaotic system, that does not get it off the hook of responsibility to change things. It should also be remembered that during the last election the Socreds promised to pay their fair share of municipal taxes. This government that is so good at sticking it to the taxpayer doesn't seem to have the stomach for absorbing costs when the tables are turned.



DAVID MACDONALD

## Labor Party Still Hangs On

LONDON — Britain's labor government has paid the political price for taking unpopular harsh deflationary decisions, by losing two out of three byelections.

But the losses do not affect the ability of this minority government to govern, thanks to the fragmented nature of the opposition in parliament.

Few politicians were surprised at the sharp rebuke administered by the electorate to a government halfway through its term, especially since it is governing during one of the most severe recessions since the last war.

The central fact remains that before the byelections took place, the Labor government commanded 311 votes and the Conservative party only 276. There has never been in this parliament a single occasion on which the Conservatives have managed to rally enough opposition members to defeat the Labor government in any vote that mattered.

### Sterling's Dive

So control of the 635-seat Commons rests with Prime Minister James Callaghan, although he has suffered an undoubted setback.

Two of the seats involved were written off by veteran political observers as total freaks, one won by Labor, the other by the Conservatives. The third is a straight-forward kick in the teeth for the Labor government and the kind of result that would give the Conservatives a majority

were a general election to be called in the near future, a most unlikely prospect.

All the battles took place in a northern sector of England that has suffered heavily from closures of factories and unemployment.

They also were the first test of British public opinion since the Bank of England minimum lending rate shot up by two per cent to 15 per cent, dragging mortgage interest rates up to an historic 12½ per cent, and since sterling's progressive crash dive in 1976.

To the surprise of no one, Labor held Newcastle-upon-Tyne Central, a bedrock socialist stronghold in an industrial city whose controversial representative, Edward Short, was recently waived from his position as second-rate House leader to well-paid boss of a government-controlled communications company.

The swing against Labor was a sharp 13.7 per cent, with the only eyebrow-raiser being the advance of a locally-popular Liberal to second place, humiliating the Conservative into third place.

Most devastating result clearly was the 22.5 per cent swing against Labor in the Walsall North riding, where the Tories for the first time ever picked up the seat vacated by the bizarre John Stonehouse, a former Labor cabinet minister who faked his own death by drowning in Miami two years ago to avoid problems over debts and who now is serving a jail term.

Further nasty news for Labor was the 13.2 per cent swing against the party in the Worthing riding of northwest England.

where the Conservatives shouldered aside both Labor and Liberal to take a convincing first place. This is the only result that can seriously be said to show voter discontent since the turnout was a high 74.3 per cent, very little down from the 75.8 per cent in the last general election of October, 1974. The sitting labor member, Fred Peart, had been eased out of his agriculture portfolio into the House of Lords to make room for younger talent.

Newcastle had a disgraceful 39 per cent turnout, compared to 58 per cent at the last general election and Walsall got a 51 per cent turnout compared to 66.6 per cent in October, 1974.

### Two Out of Three

Walsall voters showed their fury at the betrayal by John Stonehouse by slashing Labor's 1974 vote to 11,833 from 28,340. The Conservative boosted his total from 12,455 to 16,212 but bitter Labor Party men observed that a former Labor town mayor running as an independent took a crucial 4,374 votes while the rabidly-racist National Front creamed off 2,724.

Labor comes out of these byelections with a bloody nose. But there is no serious likelihood of a government fall as long as the triumphant Conservatives must seek support for the knockout blow from 13 Liberals, 11 Scottish Nationalists, 10 United Ulster Unionists, three Welsh Nationalists, two Ulster left-wingers and two Scottish Labor rebels who have formed their own party.

## letters

### Pressure Tactics

Are the hotels of B.C. merely indulging in another pressure tactic in their call for sale of whisky, rum, etc., in their beer bars or are they easing an announcement by the government that their pressures have been successful? The public will await with some concern any such move, for if this happens it will inevitably raise questions in the public mind as to whether the hotels are getting a payoff for value received.

With legal sales of alcohol in B.C. already surpassing the colossal figure of \$500 million annually by government stores and the markup in retail outlets, it would be folly in the extreme for the government to announce expansion of any kind in facilities for alcohol consumption.

The hospital system is paying millions as we fill hospital beds, and cemeteries are being filled prematurely with the end products of the liquor trade at the highest rate in our history. It seems we cannot go fast enough in our race towards France's saturation level, without being egged on by the lure of big money, by the breweries and distilleries, and liquor selling agencies of all kinds, and by the brainwashed victims of alcoholic habituation who won't take no for an answer.

In B.C. we consume nearly three times the amount of alcohol that we did a century ago, despite the fact that from 1916 to 1921, we nearly wiped out alcoholism, in an all time low consumption level.

The government is supposed to reap profits from such business but it only retrieves a portion of the cost of repairs for social damage of many kinds, which greatly exceed such revenues. They aren't profits.

When are we to begin rational thinking and behavior on this question?

One has some sympathy for the idea of low-profile drinking establishments, closing at reasonable hours, and designed to drink less in place of the many large high-pressure establishments now dedicated to gazing and guzzling. But to get the former will not dispose of the latter, so the public doesn't want any more, and I thus agree with Victoria's mayor that we are over-alcoholized.

Ten per cent of the money spent on alcohol in B.C. could aid millions daily

starving and dying. It could aid in three directions: 1. Provide resources otherwise unavailable for buying food and medicine. 2. Release food supplies otherwise diverted into alcohol production. 3. Bring the benefits of reduced consumption and lessened impairment.

On good authority we learn that one coastal brewery thus uses eight million pounds of barley and 30 million pounds of corn a year. But this is only about 3½ per cent of the total of 1½ billion pounds or more of grain thus deducted from the world's food supply.

Half of \$500 million would pay a lot of taxes, help prevent business failures, especially in a time of recession, and do a lot for social welfare and employment.

Why anyone defends a business with this disreputable record, is difficult for many of us to understand. — Harold T. Allen, 2140 Kings Road.

### Strap Use

I am surprised that such a nice civilized person as Bessie Forbes should endorse the use of the strap, and of all things on the authority of the Social Credit ladies.

There seems to be a somewhat unfounded assumption that discipline has gone to pot since the strap was abolished. I can remember back 40 years ago. Discipline was going to pot then, too. However, I agree that possibly in many schools the problem is now fairly acute, especially at the junior secondary level.

There is a hazy idea in many people's mind that absolute chaos on the lines of The Blackboard Jungle is the norm nowadays. Certainly as far as elementary schools are concerned this just isn't so. Some children are very difficult to handle, but teachers do handle them and without the strap. This only goes to show our teachers are far more proficient than the public give them credit for.

Now there are psychologists who advocate corporal punishment for certain types of behavior disorders, but only if given immediately. Immediate retribution would mean the classroom teacher would have to have the strap. The privilege of using the strap was taken from the classroom teacher over 20 years ago, and for good reason. A tired exasperated teacher is tempted to overuse this weapon.

There may be a good argument in favor of the strap. I have yet to hear it. But Bessie, you won't get it from Social Credit ladies and I am surprised someone of your intelligence should take them seriously on the subject. — Monica Oldham, 511 Victoria Avenue.

### Tax Dodges

May I commend you on the column Rich Bliking Taxman of Billions: Report, and the fact that you placed this on page one.

Although Canadians have been aware of this state of affairs it has at last come out into the open in an official report and I trust the government is quite happy with the situation. However, few changes will be made by either the Liberals or the "Progressive" Conservatives as their section of the electorate must be protected. The tragedy is that the loopholes are perfectly legal and yet we are told that we live under just laws instituted for the general good of all Canadians. Under our free democracy we do have the right to tighten up on these laws or any other unjust law by using our free vote in the interests of all Canadians and not just the favored few.

I think it is an illusion to speak of these people bliking the taxman. In fact they are bliking the average citizen who is, of course, the taxpayer. I trust that the 252 persons with incomes in excess of \$50,000 are quite happy when they know that their fellow citizens are paying for their medicare, hospital care and other social benefits provided out of taxes paid by the average taxpayer. Our whole tax system is loaded in favor of the haves and against the have-nots. However, these loopholes are perfectly legal and nothing must be done to upset "friends." — M. P. B. Wrixon, 301-1701 Cedar Hill X Road.

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### GEORGE OAKE

## The Hospital Hassle Peaks

Between moans and groans on Wednesday the Capital Regional Board will probably amend the View Royal Community Plan so a third hospital can be constructed on Helmcken Road.

At present the 34.8 acre Helmcken site is part of the agricultural land freeze. The moans and groans accompanying the reluctant decision will be occasioned by the region's belief that the wrong site has been picked. Still, it may go along with the Helmcken site because it is tired of a decade of dithering on hospitals and there is no other alternative except to proceed without provincial financial aid.

That would mean a land cost of approximately \$2.25 million to be borne by the region which is clearly out of the question at this time, despite its \$780 million tax base. So the full amount will be borrowed by the regional district. Sixty per cent of the total cost will be borne by the provincial government as an operating expense; thus it will not appear as a provincial budgetary hospital expenditure. Interesting. The other 40 per cent will be paid out of property tax on a uniform levy throughout the region.

But what of the site arguments? Which is the better McKenzie-Douglas or Helmcken? To reach the bottom line on this matter after 10 years of infighting among hospital empire builders and three levels of government is well nigh impossible. The intrigue alone would supply television scripts for 50 years of medical shows.

Health Minister Bob McClelland's unilateral decision to pick the Helmcken site appears to be based mainly on cost. He can have the Helmcken site for \$15,000 per acre or a total of \$522,000. The McKenzie-Douglas site of 25 acres would cost \$2,250,000 or slightly less than \$50,000 an acre.

### Unique Costs

McClelland argues that the \$50,000 an acre price for the McKenzie-Douglas site is more than three times the appraisal value and the price paid by current owners. The regional board has also done two appraisals of the McKenzie-Douglas land and the figures were within \$100,000 of each other. Another source says Mayor Ed Lum owns five acres adjacent to the McKenzie site which are optioned at \$200,000 per acre. Now which appraisal should we believe?

What the minister appears to be saying is that because the McKenzie property owners assembled the land for \$15,000 an acre between 1972 and 1975 they are ripping off the government at current asking prices.

That may be true, depending on which appraisal we are to believe, and to what land function the appraisal was addressed. If the land was to be used for agricultural purposes, it would conceivably be appraised at a lower figure than if it was to be used for a hospital or shopping centre. With all these appraisals bouncing around the McKenzie-Douglas site, it is interesting that the regional board has never made an appraisal of the Helmcken site. I am also informed that the Helmcken land was assembled in 1957 at a cost of \$300 per acre. If McClelland is to argue from the point of inflated land costs he should examine Helmcken site increases too.

Land costs are only the beginning, though. The McKenzie-Douglas site is easily sewered and offers good access roads, not to mention hydro facilities on the property. Helmcken would mean an estimated \$350,000 for sewerage, raising the price to about \$872,000. McClelland still believes that the Helmcken site will be cheaper overall, pointing to the widening of the Trans Canada Highway which has already been budgeted, not to mention \$500,000 for site preparation at McKenzie.

Regional Board Chairman Jim Campbell disagrees. "The offside costs are unique to this (Helmcken) site. We don't know what they are, but they are much higher than he (McClelland) thought they were."



ROBERT MCCLELLAND  
... cost main factor

There is nothing wrong in this. What landholder is not a Socred or a Socred affiliated person in this province? But if the government was so quick to jump on Wallace they might have been a little more up front about who they bought the Helmcken land from.

Then we must look at Fraser McColl, one of the leading lights in the almost forgotten Unity Movement. McColl's overtures were spurned by Bennett the younger at the time. Is this government petty enough to refuse to buy land from a man who was critical of the Social Credit party's aloof stand?

Not at all, according to McClelland. While the health minister admits he doesn't think much of McColl's political judgment, he denies any political considerations except cost to the taxpayers.

A number of philosophical implications also exist in conjunction with the hospital site. Wallace says it makes a mockery of the regional plan to choose the Helmcken site. The Conservative leader says the View Royal Community Plan will have to be drastically amended by the regional board. "If the board doesn't do it, McClelland will have to pass an order in council," he adds.

The health minister has been emphatic that he will not allow land speculation around the Helmcken site, although it is difficult to see how he can stop it. And

Campbell also says that every exception to the community plan will require an amendment by the regional board.

Still, this statement provides little reassurance considering the board may approve a plan amendment Wednesday. And as Wallace says, "All kinds of service must follow; there will be development in this area."

Whether apartments, florists and pharmacists follow the construction of the hospital remains to be seen. But glancing around the vicinity of other hospitals causes doubts about the inevitable fate of the Helmcken agricultural land.

If the View Royal plan is to be bent to accommodate a hospital, what about the regional hospital plan? Each regional hospital was assigned a specialty to avoid triplication of expensive equipment and staff. The new hospital's assignment is obstetrics. Critics claim that the Helmcken site means long distances to travel for pregnant women—a silly location for an obstetrical hospital.

McClelland counters by saying the hospital is no more than 18 minutes from almost any area location plus the fact that widening of the Trans Canada highway and extension of MacKenzie will provide easy access.

Who's right? It's difficult to say before the hospital is in operation. But if the assigned obstetrical function of the new hospital is found lacking because of distance factors, it will mean an expensive triplication of maternity facilities in hospitals throughout the region.

In a sense the new facility could turn out to be a community hospital for the western region that is serving a regional need. If that happens, not only will the regional plan be changed, the hospital plan which has taken so long to evolve will be in chaos.

### Regional Needs

The problem of a new hospital has been with us for more than a decade, starting with the Agnew Peckham report in 1966. In 1974 former Health Minister Dennis Cocke changed the letters of patent for the hospital advisory committee, providing it with power to make a decision. In the end it voted the McKenzie-Douglas site number one and did not even include the Helmcken site on its short list.

In its 10 criteria the committee wanted to find a site that would best suit the region. Cost was a minor factor in these considerations. For the health minister cost is a major factor. That's his job, to save taxpayers' money.

The essence of the controversy seems to revolve around a difference of philosophy. McClelland is imbued with costs; the region and its doctors think in terms of the whole.

"One million extra for the McKenzie-Douglas site will have no meaning at all 10 years from now if it is the right site," says Campbell.

Besides hospitals per se, there is also a question of regional autonomy here. If the minister of health can dictate the location of a major regional hospital, the board becomes a week vassal of a greater power.

But McClelland's arguments are not without logic too. Tired of watching this ongoing hassle, who can blame a provincial minister of health for acting firmly out of frustration, to be done with the problem? Ironically enough, the McKenzie-Douglas site could have been purchased five years ago for \$500,000 and the region and the hospitals had their act together.

Or has our relatively new health minister been victim of bad advice? Campbell maintains that provincial hospital planners in the department of health are one of the worst self-serving bureaucracies he has ever encountered.

On Wednesday it will be up to the regional board. Its pride, autonomy and the future of regional medical services will be on the line. If it makes the wrong decision the echoes will be heard long past the sod turning. None of the board members should sleep well tonight.



# The Hidden Welfare System That Gives to Rich

OTTAWA — A government that came up with a really huge cut in its spending budget — say 25 per cent or more — with an equally massive tax cut and no loss of any of the benefits of the programs it scrapped would be pretty popular, right?

Ottawa thinks so too. That's why plans for doing exactly that are currently under top-level study.

As the prime minister described it — accurately if obscurely — in a recent speech, the proposal is for "the integration of social programs with the tax system."

In answer to a subsequent press query, he offered the \$1.4 billion Oil Import Compensation Program as an example.

At present this subsidy is provided to oil importers in the eastern provinces in order to reduce the retail selling price of foreign oil to that of the domestic variety available elsewhere in Canada.

If the same subsidy were provided by way of a tax credit instead of a cash outlay,

eastern consumers would receive exactly the same benefits.

And the federal budget would show \$1.4 billion less government spending.

The same approach — substituting tax credits for spending outlays — could be applied to a whole range of federal programs, from farm supports to welfare payments.

Take family allowances for example.

A \$20,000 earner with a wife and two children now pays \$4,028 tax on his earnings, plus \$201 tax on the \$530 of family allowances received in the year. That sums up as \$4,229 in tax paid, and \$16,301 in after-tax family income retained.

If the family allowance payments were eliminated and replaced by a tax credit equal to the after-tax amount of the allowance (in this case \$329), the tax paid would be reduced to \$3,899. The after-tax income on \$20,000 earnings would remain exactly what it is now, \$16,301.

But the federal budget would be reduced by the \$2 billion cost of the family allowance program.

For those whose incomes are so low that they either have no tax to pay or owe less than the full amount of their credit, the unused portion of the credit can be made refundable, and be paid out in the same manner as tax rebates now are.

Last year almost three million Canadians who owed no tax filed returns and received rebates from the tax department.

The idea of shifting spending programs to the tax system may seem like a radical step, but it really isn't.

In fact it isn't even new. Government has been hiding spending programs in the tax system for years.

According to a report released last week by the National Council of Welfare, our personal income tax system already contains 60 different subsidy programs. Using the limited tax data that is

publicly available, it estimated the cost of just 17 of these at \$6.4 billion.

Entitled "The Hidden Welfare System," the report describes how the two most fundamental characteristics of these subsidies are that their costs are never subjected to public or parliamentary review and that their benefits are massively slanted towards the well-to-do.

Using 1974 tax figures (the most recent available), it found that the average benefit for those with incomes of less than \$5,000 was \$284, while for those in the \$10,000 to \$15,000 range it was \$788.

The higher the income, the bigger the benefits.

Those with \$20,000 to \$25,000 incomes averaged \$1,787 in benefits; those earning more than \$50,000 averaged \$3,990.

It would be difficult to imagine any direct and visible

government expenditure program that distributed its benefits in such a fashion, says the report.

"The reason the hidden welfare system can get away with it is precisely because it is hidden. The low-income taxpayer saving \$200 cheers his saving — and remains oblivious of the \$2,000 saving granted to the person with five times his income."

The way in which this hidden welfare system manages to distribute its largesse so disproportionately to those with top incomes is two-fold.

First, it employs tax deductions — whose value is highest for those in highest marginal tax brackets — rather than flat-rate credits. A \$1,000 deduction saves \$200 in tax for someone in a 20 per cent tax bracket and \$600 for someone in a 60 per cent bracket.

Second, many of the largest of these deductions apply only to forms of income that are uniquely associated with upper-income taxpayers.

Making \$1,000 of interest and dividend income tax free, for example, provides significant tax savings only to those with substantial bank accounts and investment portfolios.

Where both a welfare program and a tax subsidy are directed to the same social purpose — helping to meet the costs of child raising, for instance — the tax benefits weighted toward the rich overwhelm the welfare program's slant toward the poor.

A two-child family earning \$10,000 retains \$82 more of the family allowance than does a similar family earning \$25,000. But the \$25,000 family more than makes up for that by getting \$172 more in tax savings from the children's exemption in the tax act.

The result of this hidden welfare system redistributing more money in favor of the rich than the overt welfare system does for the poor is that those at the bottom of this

country's income ladder wind up with a lesser share of the after-tax national income than is the case almost anywhere else in the western world.

According to a recent study by the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), Canada ranks tenth among the twelve countries surveyed in the after-tax income share of its bottom 20 per cent of families.

That the poorest 20 per cent of families end up with a greater share of the national income in countries such as Sweden, Norway and Holland may not surprise many Canadians. But that the same is true in Japan, Italy and Spain must come as a shock.

Integrating social programs with Canada's tax system may prove a worthwhile initiative — if only in defusing the "runaway government spending" issue. Integrating the provisions of the tax system with the equity goals of social programs, however, would be a far more significant move.

## The Rights. Of Children

By BARBARA CAMPBELL  
New York Times

The struggle for human rights in the United States has found a new frontier — children. A movement has arisen, not one of marches, petitions and boycotts, but one of constitutional arguments and legal theories.

It is a movement of the courtroom and the legislative chamber, aimed at reaching beyond patchwork protections against child abuse to establish clearcut constitutional rights for America's children.

But this movement is no less vigorous for its low profile. A spot check of 24 states disclosed that every one of their major cities had some legal group fighting for children's rights.

"Children's rights is a frontier area of legal thought," said J. Harvie Wilkinson, a professor of law at the University of Virginia, "and it will be a major concern of the United States Supreme Court in the next decade."

There are some state laws and regulations governing the mistreatment of children, some going back for decades. But until the early 1970s, there was no organized movement to gain individual rights for children.

That children should be protected by the Bill of Rights is a new area of social, philosophical and legal thought. "We had always assumed that parents looked after children," said Robert E. Shepherd, professor of law at the University of Baltimore.

The leaders of the children's rights movement, which encompasses thousands of persons, in religious, fraternal, social and labor organizations, make a distinction between their goals and those of the advocates of racial or sexual equality. Their aim, they say, is not to let children determine their own destiny. Adults, they say, must ultimately be responsible for children.

What they hope to do is es-

tablish that a child has a right to a safe, stable home, to a reasonable education, to due process of law and to freedom from abuse and neglect. They hope, in other words, to prove that adults and institutions have obligations to the young as well as powers over them.

John M. Rector, chief counsel of the Senate Juvenile Delinquency subcommittee in Washington, summarized the movement by saying, "We want to stop adults from being able to do anything to children and get away with it."

In the view of the movement's leaders, adults have historically been able to get away with an awesome list of injustices against the young. Among those they cite are the following:

- Committing children to mental institutions at a parent's whim, without the same medical evidence required to commit an adult.

- Placing children in reformatories although they have committed no crimes, other than so-called "children's crimes" — truancy, incorrigibility and running away from home.

- Forcing children to take powerful drugs to subdue them in schools, mental and penal institutions and foster homes.

- Committing children to one foster home after another, or consigning them to foster care virtually until adulthood.

- Sending children to institutions far from the states in which they live, in effect banished by their states and cut off from their families.

"We have kidded ourselves that we love children in this country," says Peter Sandman, who heads the Youth Law Centre in San Francisco, a federally funded children's rights law firm. "In fact, we treat kids as chattels and have done so for as long as there has been an America. Children are the last oppressed minority."



Adults have obligations as well as powers

The drive to end that oppression has had some successes.

For example, to encourage states to stop locking up juveniles for "children's crimes," the Federal Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act was passed in 1974. Sponsored by Sen. Birch Bayh, the act provides money for states that can find alternatives to locking up children in detention centres and reformatories.

The children's rights movement has also come to the attention of the courts. The U.S. Supreme Court ruled last year that states cannot, without due process, deprive children of education for disciplinary reasons and that a student can recover damages from school officials whose actions breached his right to attend school.

Last year the Supreme Court held that the double jeopardy clause of the Fifth Amendment also applied to juveniles in a case brought by the Youth Law Centre in San Francisco. A minor cannot now be retried in an adult court for the same offence for which he was tried and sentenced in juvenile court.

All of the children's rights activity in the last few years has resulted in unusual activity

in the area before the Supreme Court. The Court has agreed to review at least five cases this term that deal with the constitutional rights of children.

State legislatures are beginning to move, also. In South Carolina, for example, the General Assembly is considering a bill to prohibit the placement in adult jails of those under 17 who are awaiting trial. The bill was introduced after the filing of a federal suit in behalf of six boys aged 12 to 15 who alleged that they had been sexually abused, burned and beaten in adult jails.

In 1972 Massachusetts instituted a controversial and innovative plan. State officials began closing down all reformatories and children's prisons and substituting group homes, foster homes and other residential settings for juveniles.

Now 92 per cent of 2,400 children, who would otherwise be in reformatories, live in their community. However, three secure facilities with a total capacity for 49 juveniles were reopened for youths who could not be treated in community-based residences.

Every state now has a child-abuse registry where people

witnessing child abuse, or strongly suspecting it, can call a central number and report it. Some states have just begun to set up these registries, but others like New York, have had them for several years.

## FISH FRIGHTENS BRITAIN

### Prisoner of Zander

By IAN BAIN  
London Observer

It is difficult to imagine that Britain's gentle rivers should hold a fish of such temperament that fishery managers and conservationists regard its approach with the same horror that peasant communities did Genghis Khan's.

Their fears are well founded for the fish, a fast-growing species called zander, leaves a trail of similar devastation as it sweeps through the country. For the zander, originally an Eastern European fish, is the only predator in British waters to kill for the fun of it, ripping into shoals of smaller fish with indiscriminate ferocity. And what alarms the experts is that British anglers are helping to spread the menace.

A born fighter, it has few equals on the hook and fishermen visiting its strongholds in East Anglia are so delighted with its sporting qualities that they frequently take home captured specimens

to stock their local waters. All terribly illegal, but very difficult to prevent.

And what, asks its followers, is so wrong with the zander? The answer, basically, is that it could drastically upset the balance between natural predators and the other fish in the river.

Alwyne Wheeler, curator of European fishes at the Natural History Museum, explains: "The zander is an active fighting fish. Whereas our biggest natural predator, the pike, will lie in wait for its prey, the zander goes out hunting. It presents a very big threat to the pike population of this country, for it removes the small fish on which the pike would naturally feed."

The introduction of zander to our open waters must therefore

go down as the biggest ecological blunder in recent years. The first specimens were brought from Europe some 60-odd years ago and were confined to the lakes of Woburn Abbey where they remained like kegs of gunpowder on a very long fuse. The explosion came only a few years ago when an unwary water authority transplanted a batch into the Great Ouse Relief Channel "just to brighten up the fishing."

A week or so ago, with its spread continuing unabated, a 16-pound zander was captured from Norfolk's Cut-off Channel. It was the biggest so far recorded in Britain, yet its captor obeyed the tradition of the true sportsman and put it back alive, even though its return denied him official recognition as the British recordholder. It is a sad thought that if we stick to such traditions we could lose our traditional sport.

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## Golden Age of Nastiness

In Massachusetts not long ago, two men got into an argument on their citizen's band radios. After an exchange of insults, one man challenged the other to "come over here and say that." The other man drove to his challenger's location, produced a gun and shot the challenger's radio.

A few days ago in Houston, two motor-ing broadcasters began a radio quarrel and agreed to settle it at a curbside rendezvous. The police tried to intercept them, but were foiled by motoring fight fans who used their radios to broadcast wrong directions to the scene of the showdown. The battling broadcasters met and one produced a gun and shot the other.

The two events illustrate technology's contributions to the inhuman science of being disagreeable. In the old days, before everybody had a car, a deadly weapon and a personal radio station on the dashboard, a man in a sour mood had no colorful way to recharge his spirits.

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Customarily, he went to some dreary saloon and insulted a customer who looked to be flabby around the belt to have much punch. If things worked right, the insultee would utter some verbal protest which would entitle the man in a bad mood to invite him to step outside.

All that is behind us. New wealth and technology have created a golden age for the dyspeptic personality. Armaments are now as available at the roadside stand as peaches and cider. Television provides instruction in their use and conditions the



psyche to look upon the consequent damage as light entertainment.

As the Texas and Massachusetts incidents illustrate, the citizen's band radio enables the quarrelsome to frolic far beyond the neighborhood saloon, cruising the city with loaded guns and broadcasting challenges all over town. The Massachusetts man who shot the radio instead of its owner showed a shrewd understanding of how to crush a kindred sour spirit. Squelch his radio and you reduce him to just another seething mass of rage sitting in traffic hurling unheard curses at the car ahead of him.

Citizen's band broadcasting, however, is not the only technological Godsend for the disagreeable. There is the telephone, enabling them to assault strangers with obscenities and threats. However, it is still not possible to shoot anybody on the telephone.

The big excitement in disagreeable circles is television. Oddly, its potential had been largely overlooked until quite recently.

In the 1960s, however, farseeing pioneers noted that the content of television consisted largely of people being disagreeable, and often downright nasty. These pioneers had political views for

which there had hitherto been very little audience.

They reasoned that by behaving disagreeably, they could become conventional subject matter for television and, thereby, get their politics across to a bigger audience.

This reasoning proved correct. The late 1960s produced endless spectacles of politically oriented individuals and mobs engaged in human behavior in public. Even, however, the implications of television did not immediately become clear to the average nonpolitical lout in the street. Despite the glaring opportunity for a vast audience, he went right on confining his swinishness to small groups.

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In the last year, we seem to have had a breakthrough in disagreeable consciousness. Multitudes of Americans have finally grasped the fact that television can take their most brutish performances out of the obscurity of small rooms and alleys and project them to audiences of millions.

The easiest access to nationwide audiences is provided by sporting events, and this is where the canner louts head nowadays when they feel the urge for self-fulfilment. Occasionally, they produce riots, as in Yankee Stadium recently. Last Monday night at a nationally televised football game in Massachusetts, they produced a stadium full of intoxicated fist-fighters and considerable hospitalization. One of them displayed his style by seizing a policeman's gun, but did not use it to shoot anybody, which was quite unusual on television.



## CLRA Created 'Roadblock' During Talks

VANCOUVER (CP) — The B.C. Labor Relations Board says that although the second of two construction industry lockouts last summer was legal, Construction Labor Relations Association did not bargain in good faith with six locals of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

Donald Munroe, board vice-chairman, said in a ruling made public Monday that the association failed to make clear its intention to secure a single, industry-wide settlement while at the bargaining table.

"This has been another case where participants to association collective bargaining have become embroiled in a major dispute attributable to a failure to conduct early discussions on certain basic bargaining ground rules," said Munroe.

After the first lockout, electrical workers ratified a proposed settlement, but the as-

sociation, which represents 850 contractors, took the position that no agreement would be concluded until all 15 trade unions involved ratified it.

"In my opinion, CLRA is seeking to set up, after the fact, a condition it did not secure at the bargaining table," said Munroe.

"There can be no possible suggestion that CLRA was guilty of subjective bad faith," he said. "Rather... it erected a roadblock, unjustifiable in the circumstances, in the path of concluding a new collective agreement with inside wiremen."

Munroe ruled that the association was not required to conduct a new lockout vote before resuming the earlier, lifted lockout.

The first closure began June 23 when the association ordered its member companies to lock out workers belonging to 15 construction unions in response to strikes by the Cement Masons Union and the Carpenters Union.

## Thief Ordered Not to Drink

A 30-year-old Victoria man was given a one-year suspended sentence Monday and placed on probation for a smash-and-grab at McDonald's Furniture Mart, 1420 Broad, last July 3.

Judge Montague Drake of county court made two conditions for the probation order: David Frederick Olmstead of 2607 Blanshard, must not drink and must pay for broken glass at the store.

Judge Drake said there was "no question he had a great deal to drink" but not to the point where Olmstead was unable to form an intention to act as he did. He said it was "a stupid sort of thing."

Witnesses told court of hearing the sound of crashing glass late in the evening and then seeing Olmstead take two electric fans and run away with them. He was

stopped by police in the 800-block Cormorant.

Olmstead told Judge Drake he has been drinking with a friend since mid-afternoon at a number of pubs. He said he didn't know if he broke the store window and stole the fans because he couldn't remember events in the late evening. He only recalled finding himself in jail.

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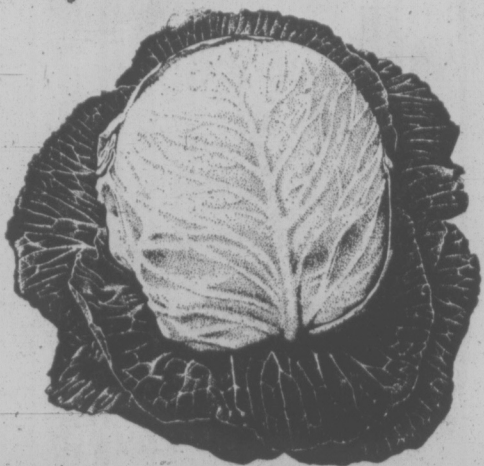
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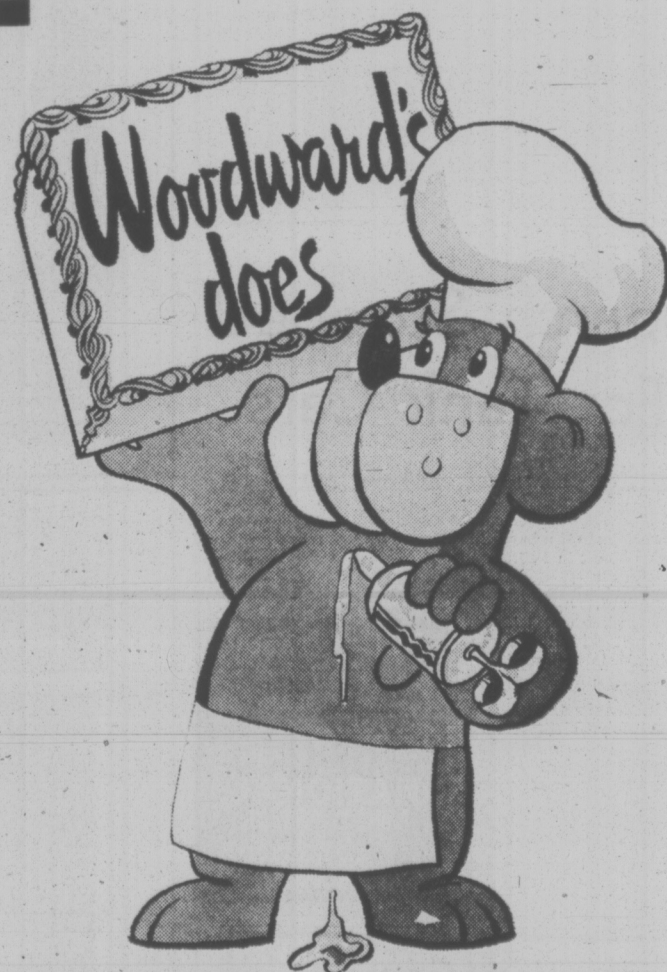
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## PROVINCE BUYS HOSPITAL

RICHMOND (CP) — The provincial government has purchased an 81-bed private hospital for \$917,000 and will use it as an annex to Richmond General Hospital, 2307 10th Avenue, said provincial health minister Jim Nielsen Monday.

In addition to 22,000 square feet of single-storey facilities,

the purchase included 3.14 acres of land around the former Richmond private hospital. Nielsen, MLA for Richmond, said the facilities would likely be used for multi-needed psychiatric services and some long-term care. The Greater Vancouver re-

gional hospital district will pay 40 per cent of the purchase price under an agreement related to hospital capital expenditures. No date has been set to reopen the private hospital, which has been closed since July 15.

## Indian Bands Sue B.C. Over Road on Reserves

### Trustees 'Hear No Evil'

VANCOUVER (CP) — The British Columbia School Trustees' Association has a "hear no evil, see no evil, speak no evil" attitude towards racism in provincial schools, says a spokesman for the B.C. Teachers' Federation.

Wes Knapp, a full-time federation staff worker, said in an interview that the association is "essentially denying racism exists" in B.C. schools by refusing to support the federation's task force on racism.

A federation news release says the presentation covers racial conflicts in B.C., including the 1907 race riots in Vancouver, when thousands of whites stormed the Chinese and Japanese areas of the city; the Komagata Maru incident in 1914, the internment of Japanese-Canadians during the Second World War and the ban on the native Indian potlatch ceremony in 1951. Also shown are newspaper collages of recent incidents like the vandalism of East Indian homes in Surrey.

### Emergency Deal Signed

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Red Cross will handle British Columbia's emergency welfare services for disaster victims under an agreement signed Monday by Provincial Secretary Grace McCarthy.

The agreement, the first of its kind in Canada, makes formal a letter of intent signed January, 1973, by the B.C. and Yukon division of the Red Cross and the former New Democratic Party government.

It gives the Red Cross responsibility of feeding, housing and clothing disaster victims as well as maintaining a registry of persons affected and answering next-of-kin inquiries.

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Lower Nicola Indian band took the British Columbia government to court Monday, challenging the province's right to maintain roads through reserve lands without permission of the federal government or the band.

The band, which lives on the Nicola-Mameet and Pitsel reserves near Merritt, is asking Mr. Justice Douglas Andrews for a B.C. Supreme Court declaration of trespass against the provincial highways department, unspecified damages and an injunction prohibiting further trespass.

There are hundreds of miles of provincial roads through reserves in all parts of the province.

The band wants a precedent-setting ruling that the province does not have the power to carry out highway operations on a reserve without the approval of the band or federal authorities.

The case involves the north-south Merritt-Savona road, which bisects the Thompson plateau from Lower Nicola to Savona, east of Kamloops. It cut through both reserves — eight miles of Nicola-Mameet and a half-mile of Pitsel.

Indians, concerned that provincial plans to widen the road and develop it into a major highway would use valuable acres of reserve land without any compensation, have fought highways department plans.

The department, on the other hand, told the Indians at a series of meetings in Victoria in early 1975 it had shelved plans for turning the roads into a major highway and would merely upgrade the road within its existing width.

When highways crews went to move heavy equipment onto reserve land in the fall of 1975, however, they were refused admission by the Indians, led by Chief Don Moses.

The province maintains its authority to operate roads through Indian reserves rests in two B.C. government orders-in-council issued in 1930, giving the highways department the right to utilize up to one-twentieth of any reserve for roads.

Indians claim this was "without the sanction of any federal statute and according to it was beyond the power" of the provincial government.

### NEEDLE CASE THROWN OUT

NORTH VANCOUVER (CP) —

Charges of unlawful practice of medicine against Grant Smith, 33, were dismissed in provincial court because there was some doubt about Smith's guilt, Judge J. D. Layton said Monday.

Judge Layton said the evidence centred on Smith describing himself as a fully-qualified acupuncturist in an interview with the North Shore News in March, and in April his claiming in an advertisement in the same newspaper that he could help relieve various disorders with acupuncture.

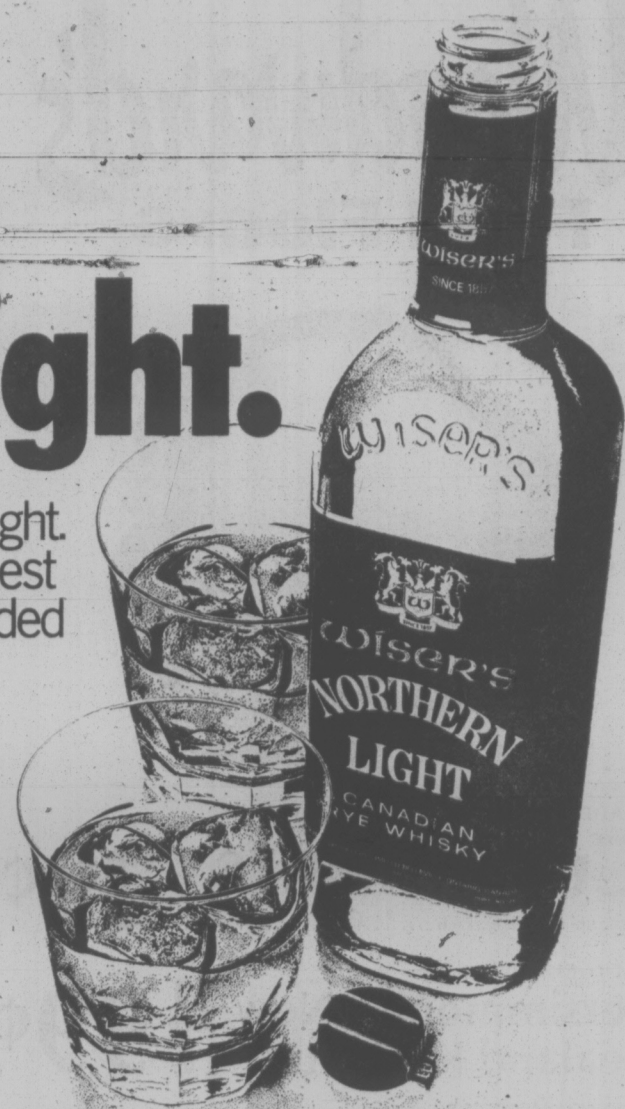
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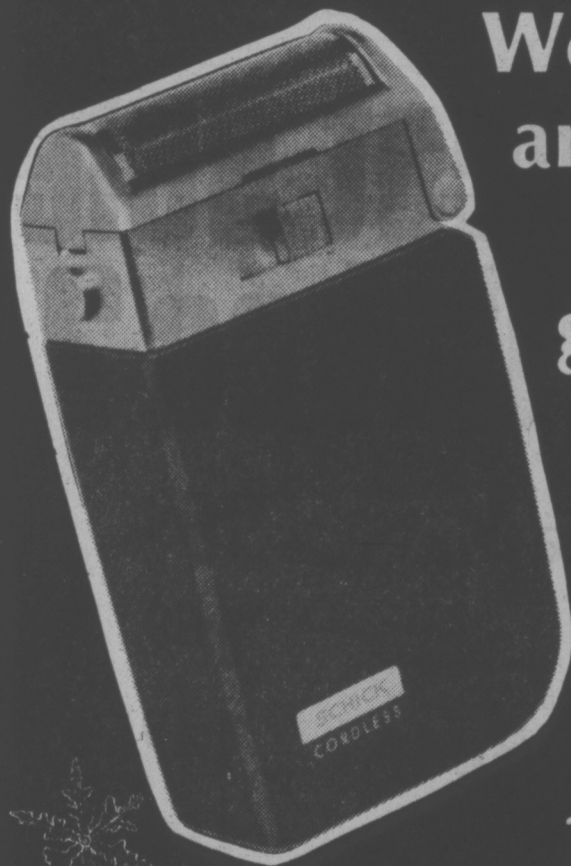
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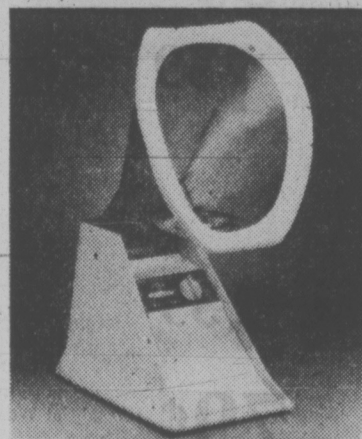
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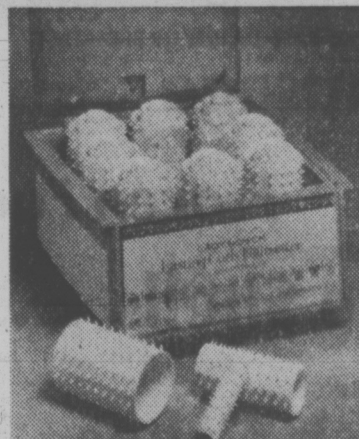
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## Search Stopped For Tank Cars

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Canadian coast guard Monday called off the search for four liquid chlorine-laden rail cars which were lost off a barge in Malaspina Strait in February, 1975.

Des Allard, a transport ministry spokesman, said the coast guard ship Richardson will remain in the strait on hydrographic work.

The Richardson, recently fitted with precise locating equipment, made an intensive search of a mile-square area of the strait about 60 miles northwest of here during the weekend but failed to find the missing tank cars.

The search was resumed after a report by British Co-

lumbia Hydro workers that an underwater cable pulled to the surface was covered with white paint and had deep impressions that may have been caused by a heavy object, such as a tank car, rolling over it.

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# Single Vote Saves Labor

Times News Services

LONDON—Britain's Labor government survived by a one-vote margin in a crucial vote in Parliament Monday that could have forced Prime Minister James Callaghan to resign and call a general election.

But the party had to summon sick and "walking wounded" members—as well as a mother nursing her two-week-old baby—to turn out the vote needed to ensure survival.

The vote, one of three

major ones, was on a motion to cut short debate on a bill to nationalize aircraft and shipbuilding industries.

The government, won by a 311-310 margin, with Frank Maguire, a Republican Party independent member from Ulster providing the extra vote.

The triumph in Parliament was dampened within hours when the industry department released statistics showing that the cost of raw materials for British industry is rising at an annual rate of 29

per cent—4.5 per cent alone last month.

The country's troubled economy faced another gloomy day after stocks plunged Monday by the equivalent of \$2.9 billion, with the Financial Times industrial index falling by 17.7 points, the sharpest decline this year and immediately attributed to reports that Britain may need to borrow more money than expected next year.

On the foreign-exchange market, sterling lost nearly 1.25 cents closing at \$1.6160 (U.S.) a modest decline com-

pared with spectacular plunges in recent weeks.

At noon today in Montreal, sterling was trading at \$1.58 Canadian.

As the new gloomy economic facts emerged, however, the Labor Party felt it has survived its first big test by the Opposition following Labor's defeat in two of three byelections last week.

In the first vote, on a motion to cut debate on the agricultural and education bills, the government won by a vote of 312 to 296.

## Tories Capture 3 P.E.I. Ridings

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP)—Progressive Conservatives celebrated victories in three of four byelections Monday night in Prince Edward Island, raising their strength in the 32-member house to eight seats.

Among the victors was J. Angus MacLean, the new leader of the party, who won in Queens 4th riding.

The other PC winners were Dr. George Dewar in Prince 2nd and George McMahon in Prince 5th. James Fay, a 28-year-old farmer, won Kings 1st for the Liberals to become the youngest member of the house.

Premier Alex Campbell said the byelection results showed the success of opposition pleas for more representation in the legislature. The Liberals have 24 seats in the house.

MacLean retained Queens 4th for the Conservatives by defeating John Brehaut, a former broadcaster, by 1,257 votes to 1,065. Fay won Kings 1st by defeating Reginald Peters by 1,472 votes to 1,045.

In Prince 2nd, Dewar, a former PC party leader and former cabinet minister, won with a six-vote edge over Allison Ellis. Campbell said Monday he expected a recount in the riding.

McMahon, a lawyer, defeated businessman George Olschcamp 2,131 votes to 1,311. Campbell said he was pleased with voter turnout—10,540 of the eligible 14,121 voters, or 75 per cent.

MacLean, 62, a former MP, told supporters at a victory celebration that the byelection results indicate "the tide is turning, just as it is in the rest of Canada."

## MP ARGUES FOR OPEN SHOP

PRINCE GEORGE (CP)—MP Frank Oberle (PC—Peace River) said Monday he wants to change Canada's labor relations system from one of confrontation to one of "co-determination."

The House of Commons gave routine first reading Friday to his private member's bill which would abolish the Rand formula relating to union rights.

The formula, named after a Canadian judge, gives unions the right to certification, closed shops and compulsory union membership.

Oberle says this is contrary to the Canadian Bill of Rights because it takes away the individual's right to choice of association.

"I want to replace the Rand formula with a system of co-

determination; the MP said in a telephone interview from Ottawa.

He said that unions have the right to organize but that compulsory membership is no longer in keeping with modern industrial relations.

"We must model our labor-management-government relations on other western democracies to survive."

His proposed amendment would guarantee that employees will not be fired because they do not belong to a union and that union check-offs would not be made without the employee's consent.

"The protection unions have rightfully achieved under the Rand formula is no longer workable in Canada," Oberle said. "We have to shed ourselves of this formula as other nations have."

## Danson Prepares To Change Bases

OTTAWA (CP)—Defence Minister Barney Danson said Monday he expects to announce within three or four weeks changes at Canadian Forces Bases to improve military efficiency.

The changes may involve some cuts in personnel at particular bases, but no decision to close a base will be announced "in the near future," Danson said.

He made the comments outside the House after being asked by Steve Paproski (PC—Edmonton Centre) about "disquieting reports" that a base in Edmonton is to be moved.

Danson dismissed the reports, saying no decision will be made about moving any base until he has had a chance to review such factors as the social and economic impact a base has on a community.

Until then, all options are open, he said.

Outside the House, Danson said he will also be reviewing the efficiency of operations at each base and decisions about this base-by-base review should be ready to be announced within about a month.

Changes resulting from this review could include personnel cuts, he said.

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# Canada Council Scuttles Encyclopedia Project

By KEN POLE  
Times Ottawa bureau  
OTTAWA — A new encyclopedia, conceived by Edmonton publisher Mel Hurtig as a monumental collection of Canadiana, has been scuttled by the Canada Council.

It was to have been a 1,744-page, one-volume pro-

duction with a first printing of 100,000 copies in 1981 at an initial cost of \$2,577,000. The retail price was to have been \$35.

"It wasn't good enough," Hurtig said Monday after disclosing that his request for Canada Council assistance has been turned down.

"I don't like to protest a

thing like this publicly because the Canada Council has done an enormous amount of good for the cultural community of this country.

"I just think that in this case, they made a bad mistake."

Hurtig said he has felt for some time that the En-

cyclopedia Canadiana — published by Grolier of Canada, subsidiary of a U.S. firm — was outdated both in concept and content.

That particular 10-volume effort, a more traditional type of encyclopedia, cost \$1,500,000.

The Canadiana, first published about 20 years ago and

now in its 10th edition, is considered the major reference work on Canada, but its price, while not as high as the Britannica, still is out of reach of many people.

Other books cover some of the same, but not as completely as the Hurtig project would have.

"Ours would have been substantially updated from the Encyclopedia — Canadiana," Hurtig said. "It would have been much more modern in many ways as well as being illustrated. It would have contained three million words, as many as the Canadiana."

Hurtig was to have put up 33 per cent of the total cost and had asked the Canada Council for a 29-per-cent contribution.

The rest was to have come from other sources and he already had pledges from various organizations, all of which, unfortunately, were contingent on him getting the federal money.

Not only did he have financial pledges, but also a long list of moral supporters, who had written to the council.

There were people such as Robert Fulford, editor of Saturday Night; Douglas Marshall, editor of Books Canada; Knowlton Nas, head of CBC television information programming; and novelist Hugh Hood, to mention a few.

Why did the Canada Council turn down Hurtig despite the fact the proposal seemed to have everything going for it?

It seems the powers-that-be were not happy with the suggestion that the French-language rights to the new encyclopedia be given free to francophone publishers afterward.

## Government 'Squandering' Draws Blast from Knowles

OTTAWA (CP) — Veteran New Democrat Stanley Knowles castigated the government Monday for letting cabinet ministers spend millions on executive jet flights while the poor are shackled by economic restraints and an alleged unfair tax system.

"It's scandalous," Knowles

told the Commons, referring to \$740,000 spent by Transport Minister Otto Lang on private government plane flights during the last three years.

One of the flights — from Lang's native Saskatoon to Edmonton — cost \$7,000, records show.

Knowles asked how such expenses could be justified. Even if the minister felt he needed privacy to do his work, the cost would not be warranted, he said.

The steward would "just have time to serve him food and drink" before the hour and a half flight would be over.

Knowles spoke during debate on a government restraint bill introduced about 11 months ago.

Some of the bill's proposals — steps to scrap the Company of Young Canadians, end the Opportunities for Youth program, end Information Canada and block increases in family allowances — are already in effect.

The bill must pass before such measures can legally be implemented. But the government ended the programs in advance by cutting the funds to operate them.

Knowles said his party opposes the legislation.

To overcome economic difficulties, the government should increase production and provide employment, he said.

And if it had to fall back on restraint, it should do so on a basis of "fairness and equity."

"But this government doesn't know the meaning of those words."

Knowles said the government's decision to hold back increases in family allowances is an example of "practising restraint in the wrong way."

The \$20 million saved this year by the move will come from citizens least able to pay.

He quoted a recent report by the government-financed Canadian Welfare Council, which shows potential tax revenue of about \$6.4-billion a

## NEW \$60,000 LIMIT ON PENSION SCHEME

OTTAWA (CP) — Revenue department regulations have been changed to allow maximum pensions of \$60,000 to be paid out of registered funds, a department spokesman said Monday.

Previously the maximum allowable pension a year was \$40,000.

The change, which is retroactive to last Sept. 1, was

made last month but has not been publicly announced. However, actuaries have been informed of the new limits.

Under the anti-inflation guides, companies are permitted to increase maximum pension benefits.

They will not have to include any increase in pensions under the salary and fringe benefit limits of \$2,400.

## Stats Canada Figures Hit

OTTAWA (CP) — Jean Chretien, minister of industry, trade and commerce, said

Monday he will do something as quickly as possible about Statistics Canada estimates of the gross national product which a government memo says are based on "unacceptably inaccurate" data.

Describing the matter as "complicated and very serious," Chretien told the Commons he has discussed it with the chief statistician, Peter Kirkham.

He promised some answers to Opposition MPs within the next few days.

The matter, raised by Progressive Conservative MP Don Mazankowski (Vegreville), was contained in a Statistics Canada memorandum which said the department estimates of the GNP are inaccurate because estimates of labor income and consumer expenditure used to calculate the GNP "are unacceptably inaccurate."

The GNP is a measure of all goods and services produced in the country.

The matter is one of several that Conservative MPs have raised about Statistics Canada during the last few weeks.

Chretien again turned down a request from Elmer MacKay (PC-Central Nova) for an inquiry into Statistics Canada.

However, Chretien confirmed that under his direction, Kirkham has asked public servants in the department to declare any personal activities which might be considered a conflict of interest with their government duties.

## Tributes All Round

OTTAWA (FP) — Andre Fortin received tribute in the Commons Monday on winning the leadership of the Social Credit Party and becoming the youngest of the federal party chiefs.

Opposition leader Joe Clark also received congratulations on the birth last weekend of his first child Catharine Jane.

"Mother and child are doing very well," Clark said, "and the father is recovering."

That distinction of being

youngest leader has, since 1968, passed from Prime Minister Trudeau, to NDP leader Ed Broadbent, to Clark and now to Fortin.

With a smile in Trudeau's direction, the Tory leader said "we are all naturally waiting to see what might happen to the title next."

Trudeau, 57, had opened the Commons exchange prior to question period by offering congratulations to the "two heroes" of the weekend.

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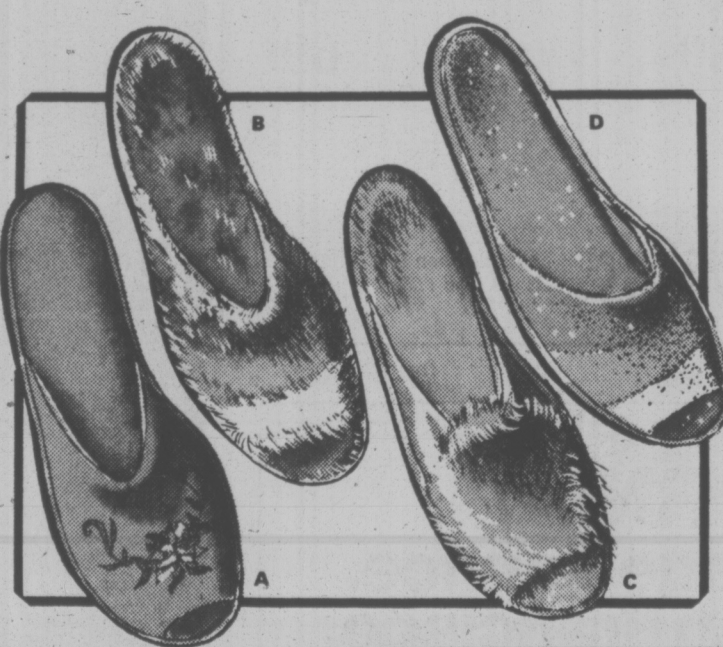
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# Que. Bankers Deny Cash Drain

MONTREAL (CP) — Spokesmen for several chartered banks denied Monday there has been a flight of bank deposits from Quebec because of fears the Parti Quebecois may win the Nov. 17 provincial election.

"We have no indication that significant amounts of money are being transferred out of the province," said a Bank of Montreal spokesman.

A spokesman for the Royal Bank of Canada had said during the weekend an unknown number of persons asked that their accounts be transferred to Ontario despite the bank's assurances that such action was unnecessary. No business accounts were involved.

H. E. Wyatt, Royal Bank general manager, said the transfers began after the Quebec election was called and became "very active" Friday when a poll was published indicating that 31 per cent of Quebecers favor the Parti Quebecois compared with 22.8 per cent who favor the ruling Liberals.

Commenting on Wyatt's statement, a Bank of Nova Scotia official said: "That must be an awfully good line of communications the Royal Bank has, the poll only came out Friday."

The official said no significant amount of money had been transferred by his bank's customers since the election call.

The official said the bank had discouraged them. Customers were told deposits in any Canadian chartered bank were guaranteed by the federal government.

Independence was not even an issue in this election, he said, and would only come after it was approved by a referendum of all Quebecers. Tremblay is Parti Quebecois candidate in the Montreal riding of Gouin.

Meanwhile, other banks in the Montreal area confirmed there had been few transfers of deposits to Ontario.

The Toronto-Dominion Bank said there have been some transfers, while the Mercantile Bank of Canada reported "nothing of major concern."

A Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce spokesman in Toronto said there had been some minor improvement of funds from Quebec to Ontario, but the total was much lower than in past Quebec elections.

The Bank Canadian National and the Provincial Bank of Canada also reported no appreciable transfers of funds out of Quebec.

The Montreal City and District Savings Bank, which claims 75 per cent of its customers are French-speaking, said that its deposits have increased since the election was called.

Alfred Rouleau, president of the Federation des Caisses

Populaires Desjardins, said there were no transfers of money from the credit unions in his organization. "It's time to be calm," he said.

Parti Quebecois spokesmen have described stories about Quebecers taking their money out of the province as "propaganda" to scare people into voting for the Liberals.

Rene Levesque told farmers Monday his Parti Quebecois, if elected Nov. 15, would operate as "just another provincial government" and provide an additional \$45 million to revive agriculture.

He said the short-term aid would be augmented when Quebec became a separate country and was able to exercise more control over food imports.

As Levesque wooed the farm vote, Liberal Premier Robert Bourassa again warned English-speaking Quebecers that the Parti Quebecois is "avidly, unabashedly and unwaveringly committed to the separation of the province from the rest of Canada."

Bourassa's Canadian Club audience here included Conservative Premier Richard Hatfield of New Brunswick, who said he expects the Parti Quebecois to gain no more than 20 of the 110 seats at stake.

Union Nationale Leader Rodrigue Biron, campaigning to small turnouts in metropol-

tan Montreal ridings, criticized Bourassa for a campaign based on fear.

"By his indecision, Mr. Bourassa has done more for

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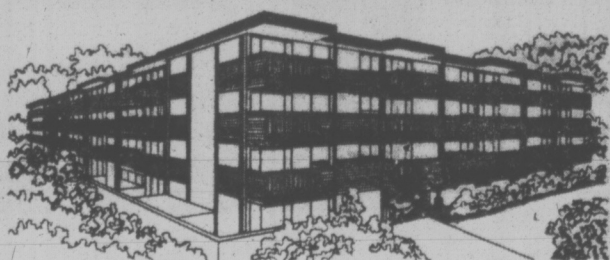
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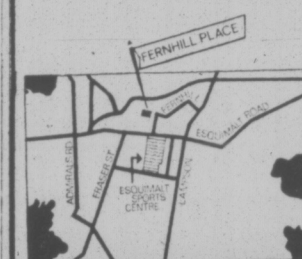
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# Opam Peaks at Sandown Future

By BILL WALKER  
Times Staff

Ed Popham, president of the Capital City Turf Club, would like to have earlier racing dates for Sandown but he doesn't see that possibility in the immediate future.

"I don't think the B.C. Racing Commission, the B.C. Jockey Club or the horsemen would want to back up the Vancouver dates to allow an earlier start at Sandown," he said.

"However, if Vancouver could race on Sunday, then it's possible the Vancouver

season could end earlier. We would be happy with an Oct. 1 start while around Sept. 15 would be just perfect."

Popham says he foresees the day that Sunday racing will be allowed at Exhibition Park.

"I certainly hope so," he said. Vancouver has its own charter and, as I understand it, if city council approves, that is all that is needed. Sunday racing has been successful everywhere it has been permitted and very popular with the fans."

Popham also feels that Sunday racing would be good for the Vancouver economy because then the large contin-

gent of racing fans who usually go to Longacres near Seattle, where they do race on Sunday, would stay and spend at home.

"Merv Peters, director of racing of the B.C. Jockey Club, has done some work on just how much money goes out of the province each week," said Popham. "And it goes into six figures, considering gasoline, food, motels, parking and admissions, as well as the money bet."

"This is all lost to Vancouver and the provincial government, and why Vancouver has so far turned down Sunday racing nobody has explained."

Popham was asked about the Vancouver contingent that visits Sandown.

"In 1975 it was quite a group," he confessed. "But we could only count those who came by bus. Many others came by car or as foot passengers. But this year the ferry rates were raised and there is a big loss of interest. I think the Vancouver group this year is about half what it was in 1975."

Popham doesn't blame the increased ferry rates because the bus tariff didn't go up that much, but he does think the harness racing has definitely had an effect.

"I would have to conclude that the harness races are mainly responsible for the drop," he said.

"It would be nice to have no competition, but that's not fair to the other interests," he said. "Cloverdale and Sandown are quite different circuits with their separate fans and separate horse interests. The harness people are entitled to their thing, but in my view it was a mistake to permit both thoroughbred and harness racing during the same period in Vancouver."

"With 51 days of harness and 104 of thoroughbred racing you have a lot of days," he said.

"I'm not sure it isn't too many. Having regard to the investment involved the returns and the jobs created, the number of harness dates in my view is disproportionately high."

Popham doesn't feel it is in the public interest of the sport either, to try for more dates at Sandown under the present time limit.

"The middle of November is really later than we should have regard to the weather," he said. "It depends on when Vancouver closes."

Increasing the number of racing days a week, isn't the answer either, says Popham.

"We can't run more than four days a week," he said.

Vancouver tried five days this year and the fans didn't like it.

"There is also the additional problem of adequate horses, especially at the end of the season," he said.

"The number of horses this year were most adequate," he continued, "with many full fields. But some of the fields in the higher quality races were pretty short. It is a situation that does exist at small tracks, but I think it will get better each year."

And the present meeting, which has been producing

smiles all around — is he pleased?

"I guess I'm happiest about the weather," Popham said. "It has been unseasonably good, just as it was unseasonably bad last year. Over the years we will have to expect something in between."

And next year?

"More of the same," said Popham. "The weather, that is."

Then he added: "I think we have proved that Island people want racing and will support it. That was our first goal. Now we will strive to improve each year."

## BAYS MEET RUNNERS FOR PLAYOFF CROWN

### Times Handicap

By Bill Walker

Sandown Park, Wednesday, Nov. 10 (14th day)

1st race 6 1/2 furlongs  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three and four-year-olds.

11111 Dornbafancy (—)	117	Should click right back here	(1)
1122 Brofield (R. Daley)	118	May be question if track soft	(8)
1133 Another Charger (J. Arnold)	119	Part of expected early pace	(4)
1144 Atouque (Stein)	120	Last not best, can improve	(7)
1155 Pool of Dreams (—)	120	May be coming up to best now	(2)
1166 Earl O. Moray (Munoz)	121	Will be fitter horse on Wed.	(3)
1177 Solar Mission (—)	121	Joined favorite to last club	(5)
1222 Golden Pins (Carter)	122	Would need to show better	(6)
Also eligible:			
1123 Amazing High (—)	118	Won one in mud, these tougher	(9)

2nd race 6 1/2 furlongs  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three and four-year-olds.

1122 French Love (R. Daley)	112	Track conditions of no concern	(3)
1144 Country Wine (LeBlanc)	113	Last was better, could share	(1)
1155 Earl of Surrey (Munoz)	115	Chance to get up in time here	(7)
1166 Future Concepts (R. Daley)	116	Careful, charging winner last	(4)
1177 Triple Two (Wood)	117	Can't fault his efforts either	(5)
1188 Wilbur Clark Jr. (—)	117	Seems to have gone back a way	(8)
1222 Sherr's Delight (Phillips)	118	Some races offer some hope	(2)
1233 Crazy Times (Stein)	119	Contention runs deep, chance	(6)
Also eligible:			
1164 Nordic Venture (J. Arnold)	115	Back sprinting, could steal lead	(9)

3rd race 6 1/2 furlongs  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three-year-olds and up.

1162 Successful Flight (R. Daley)	118	Getting closer, could make it	(5)
1184 North Arrow (Furlong)	119	Closing surge could score here	(1)
1195 Strong Item (Wood)	120	Would romp if near best form	(4)
1234 Vital Guard (J. Arnold)	121	Better post, may lead, last	(2)
1245 Sundance with (Brownell)	122	Another with some early luck	(3)
1256 Monashie Kid (—)	123	Hasn't been able to get job done	(6)
1267 Golden Raider (Stein)	124	Hasn't beaten anyone here	(7)
1278 Regal Leo (Phillips)	125	Careful, sloppy track moves up	(8)
Also eligible:			
1134 Regular Joe (Stein)	115	For long-shot louie only	(9)

4th race one mile  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three and four-year-olds.

10253 Timber (LeBlanc)	117	Might take to added distance	(5)
1121 Barnek (Phillips)	118	Handled mud fairly well last	(1)
1132 Tramps N. Theres (Furlong)	119	Last better, could get a share	(4)
1143 Tap Man (—)	120	Could go long lead early	(7)
1154 Devil You (—)	121	Danger off last, beware	(2)
1165 Emil H. (Rycroft)	122	Big improvement necessary	(3)
1176 No Guarantee (Stein)	123	Not certain Wed. either	(6)
1240 Skeeter (R. Daley)	124	Has trailed too many before	(8)

5th race 6 1/2 furlongs  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three and four-year-olds.

10293 Tav's Image (Furlong)	117	Quick enough away, could last	(7)
1113 Melody Maker (J. Arnold)	118	Should find these easier, tabs	(1)
1124 Crowned Player (Wolski)	119	Will be on pace throughout	(2)
1224 King's Countess (Munoz)	120	Look out, spot not difficult	(3)
1235 Teddy Bear D. (Daley Jr.)	121	Will benefit from speed duel	(4)
1246 Future Concepts (R. Daley)	122	Last puts close in open heat	(5)
1257 Quadra Isle (—)	123	Hasn't been able to get job done	(6)
1268 Regal Joe (Rycroft)	124	Not if all recent are true	(8)
Also eligible:			
1123 Reflector (LeBlanc)	118	Danger if gets on top, put third	(9)
1134 Duke A. Jewell (Stein)	119	Can't beat in drive last, put second	(1)
1145 O'Ceider (Stein)	120	Did everything asked last, put second	(2)
1156 Charity Drive (J. Arnold)	121	Post against, but rates thought	(3)

6th race 6 1/2 furlongs  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three-year-olds and up.

1154 Makaha Surf (Rycroft)	118	Should get job done on Wed.	(8)
1165 Magic Jester (J. Arnold)	119	Will force top one to limit	(1)
1176 Copper Mountain (Munoz)	120	Repeat of last puts close	(2)
1187 Arnak (R. Daley)	121	Will get more argument here	(3)
1198 Austin Tayshush (Furlong)	122	Closed a lot of ground in last	(4)
1209 Pats Way (—)	123	Speeded up in previous	(5)
1220 Regal Joe (LeBlanc)	124	Have card, may be price horse	(6)
1231 Cackle Barry (Stein)	125	Often well fancied, take look	(7)
Also eligible:			
10275 Brass Code (Phillips)	123	Should be at long odds here	(9)
1146 Charlesville (R. Daley)	124	Been getting lots of work	(1)
1157 Gun Music (Wolski)	125	Came out running, put second	(2)
1209 Cottonwood Canyon (—)	126	Chance if gets opportunity	(3)

7th race 6 1/2 furlongs  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three-year-olds and up.

10234 Inerly (R. Daley)	118	Been right there each time	(8)
10276 Charles Capri (Furlong)	119	Could be the solid one here	(1)
1116 Hard Choice (Stein)	120	Track condition no concern	(2)
1127 Uncle (Wolski)	121	Unlikely starter if wet	(3)
10297 Sammy Spots (Carter)	122	Pops up on occasion, check	(4)
1136 Canadian King (Munoz)	123	Will keep front-runners honest	(5)
1147 Scaphary (LeBlanc)	124	Danger if takes to track	(6)
1229 Pacific Rim (J. Arnold)	125	Prefers longer, moves up if wet	(7)
Also eligible:			
1138 Batterina Belle (Wood)	118	Last was a shoddy effort	(9)
1148 Blinkey Ben (R. Daley)	119	Can do better, chance for part	(1)

8th race one mile  
Claiming, Purse \$1,300. For three-year-olds and up.

11181 a-Proud Magic (J. Arnold)	120	Have to stick with a winner	(7)
1166 Glenview Mac (Daley Jr.)	121	Fit, fast, ready and able	(1)
10277 Travelling Mist (—)	122	Last good, tough on front end	(2)
1132 Windsor (R. Daley)	123	Sharp now, more to do here	(3)
11064 a-Contreux's Prince (J. Arnold)	124	Other half of strong entry	(4)
1226 Wilkes Mark (Rycroft)	125	Steps up, but has a hold	(5)
1237 Harvey's Bud (Phillips)	126	Distance may prove problem	(6)
1234 Get Swift (Stein)	127	Jumps into hornet's nest here	(8)
Also eligible:			
1138 Lucas (Furlong)	118	Has been trained entry	(9)

9th race one mile  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three-year-olds and up.

11136 Easterns Trophy (R. Daley)	117	Always gives a good accounting	(5)
11183 Flying Turf (Munoz)	118	Hangs on well in the drive	(1)
11184 Airline Bob (Rycroft)	119	Toss out last, danger in here	(2)
11185 Staracore (Furlong)	120	Hasn't shown best form here	(3)
1229 Crystal Comet (Carter)	121	Threat on front end, beware	(4)
12258 Bald Headed (—)	122	Would pay off in boxcars	(6)
1118 New Pride (Phillips)	123	May lead, may not stop	(7)
1118 Diddle (Shore)	124	It's your choice, or bet	(8)
Also eligible:			
11133 Frelch (R. Arnold)	117	Capable of coming right back	(9)
12278 Al Soldier (Brownell)	123	Will appreciate soft surface	(1)
12225 Burnside (Stein)	124	Careful, capable sort at times	(2)

Sub Race; 6 1/2 furlongs  
Claiming, Purse \$900. For three-year-olds and up.

10294 Red's Lady (R. Daley)	112	Repeat of last might do here	(1)
10277 Money Hush (J. Arnold)	113	Speedy sort, will prompt pace	(2)
10277 Black Lila (Furlong)	114	Might get up in time here	(3)
1136 Canadian Colleen (R. Daley)	115	Be no surprise off recent	(4)
1145 Fairlie (Wood)	116	Careful, hasn't been far away	(5)
1165 Miss Jay Note (Brownell)	117	Will charge against this sort	(6)

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## Cougars Plan to Impress As a 'Big Week' Starts

It's always a good thing to be able to impress your coach. Tonight, Victoria Cougars suspect, it won't be a bad idea to impress the other guy.

He'll be Ernest (Punch) McLean, coach of New Westminster Bruins and, more important to the Cougars, the chief handler of the soon-to-be-announced Western Canada Hockey League all-stars.

The WCHL all-star squad will be announced Nov. 17. It's the team that will represent the league for a December series, to be played mainly on the Plains, which will also involve squads from the Ontario and Quebec Major Leagues along with the Russian national junior team.

McLean and Regina Pats' manager Del Wilson have been busy scouting all-star

candidates for the past several days. Both had a look at the Cougars on Saturday when the team scored a 7-4 victory over Medicine Hat Tigers.

The game against New Westminster here tonight could be another vote-catching opportunity for some of the Cougars.

All-star selection, however, isn't the all-important assignment for Victoria coach Pat Ginnell. He's more interested in "the big week."

A look at the standings and this week's schedule explains Ginnell's prime concern. Cougars ride atop the Western Division with a one-point edge over New Westminster and Kamloops Chiefs. As the schedule would have it, Cougars are due to play in Portland, Wednesday, and then face the Chiefs in a home-and-home series at the weekend.

Game time is 8 p.m.

Meanwhile, Wilson didn't leave Victoria with only some all-star candidates. He also picked up a goalie for his struggling Pats, who occupy the Eastern Division basement after going without a victory in their last seven games.

Dan Rogers, a Victoria native who played for Cougars during the past four seasons, has gone to Regina on a make-good basis. Rogers was dealt to Kamloops by the Cougars before the season was released to Portland Winter Hawks. He lost his Portland job when the Winter Hawks acquired Randy Ireland from Saskatoon.

Scoring leaders:

	GP	G	A	Pts
Derlago, Brandon	20	20	16	36
McDonald, Vancouver	16	16	16	32
Bonar, Brandon	20	20	11	31
Lusby, Victoria	16	13	18	31
McCrimmon, Brn.	20	13	17	30
Allison, Brandon	20	13	14	27
Kerr, Kamloops	18	10	17	27
McCarthy, Winnipeg	11	24	27	27
Lofthouse, N. West	16	15	11	26

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## SPORTS MENU

TONIGHT

BASKETBALL  
8:30 p.m. — Victoria Senior "B" Men's League, James Bay Athletic Association vs. Oak Bay, Lambrick Park Junior High.

HOCKEY  
8:30 p.m. — Western Canada League, New Westminster Bruins vs. Victoria Cougars, Memorial Arena.

7:15 p.m. — South Island Junior "B" League, Letchford Braves vs. Victoria Rays, Pearkes Arena.

8:30 p.m. — South Island Big Six League, Victoria Maple Leafs vs. Lake Cowichan Lakers, Esquimalt Sports Centre.

WEDNESDAY  
HORSE RACING  
8 p.m. — Eight-race program, Sandown Park.

HOCKEY RACING  
VOLLEYBALL  
7:15 p.m. — Four-team invitational high school girls' tournament, Victoria High.

HOCKEY  
8:30 p.m. — South Island Junior "B" League, Fuller Lake Flyers vs. Oak Bay Trios, Fuller Lake Arena.

9 p.m. — South Island Big Six League, Juan de Fuca Merchants vs. Chemainus Blues, Juan de Fuca Arena.

BASKETBALL  
9:30 p.m. — Victoria Senior "B" Men's League, Victoria Junior Men's vs. Stevens Interiors, Oak Bay Junior High.

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## A's Top Stevens For Fourth Win

Jim MacKay with 21 points and Bill Hingley with 22 set the scoring pace for Victoria Athletics Monday night as the A's whipped Stevens Interiors, 108-65, in a Victoria Senior "B" Men's Basketball League game at Victoria High School.

Victory was the fourth straight for the Athletics who lead Oak Bay by two points. Oak Bay is also undefeated. Jim Cunningham had 26 points for Stevens.

Trilec Installation defeated

James Bay, 58-51, in the night's other game. Steve Pescod scored 15 points to lead the winners while Gord Gummer added 10. Victory moved Trilec into a second-place tie with Oak Bay. Brian Sutherland-Brown had 12 points to top James Bay.

STEVENS INTERIORS (65) — Jim Cunningham 26, Bryan Grant 17, Dave Baade 4, Royal Edmondson 4, Mike Wallace, Bob Lee 2, Duwayne Robinson 12, Graham McAvoy, Randy Hammer.

ATHLETICS (108) — Jim MacKay 22, Duff McCashey 18, Rich Connolly 12, Bill Hingley 21, Dave Wirtanen 8, Bert Zetser 8, Loris Carletto 4, Tim Carlson 4, Mike Reimer 2.

JAMES BAY (51) — John Campbell 7, Brian Sutherland-Brown 12, Mike Merrill 10, Ian Scott 7, Clare Anderson, Jim Merz 8, Clive Haas 4, Dave Anderson 3.

TRILEC INSTALLATION (58) — Steve Pescod 15, Thad Newman 8, Doug Redick 2, Dave English 8, Rick Redick, Steve Dunbar 2, Charlie Davis, Darrel Johnston 6, Gord Gummer 10, Brock Luchmick 6.

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Athletics	4	4	0	3	2	4	8
Oak Bay	3	3	0	3	3	1	6
Trilec	3	3	0	3	1	1	6
James Bay	4	2	2	2	2	4	4
Stevens	4	0	4	2	3	1	0
Jr. Men	4	0	4	2	2	1	0

Next game: Tonight — James Bay vs. Oak Bay, Lambrick High School.

## Great Start For Giacomin

MONTREAL (CP) — The Canadiens once again dominated just about every major scoring department in the National Hockey League.

Steve Shutt has 16 goals in 16 games, Larry Robinson 20 assists, and Guy Lafleur 26 points. The Canadiens as a team are averaging more than five goals a game.

But the scoring race has some other sensations as well. Rookie Don Murdoch of New York Rangers also is scoring at a goal-a-game clip with 15 and is tied with Lanny McDonald of Toronto Maple-

Leafs with seven power-play goals, tops in that department. Murdoch also has scored the most game-winning goals, five. Rangers have won only six of 15 games.

Glenn Resch of New York Islanders has the best goals-against average, 1.71, followed by Gerry Desjardins of Buffalo with 1.75. Bunny Larocque of Montreal with 2.00, and Ed Giacomin, let go on waivers by New York Rangers Oct. 31, is having his best start in 12 NHL seasons with three shutouts in eight games, the latest a 9-0 draw with Atlanta Flames Sunday.







# Expos Trade With Cards

ST. LOUIS (AP) — St. Louis Cardinals completed a six-player baseball deal with Montreal Expos on Monday, acquiring right-handed pitcher Steve Dunning, outfielder Tony Scott and infielder Pat Scanlon.

Montreal obtained right-handed pitcher Bill Grier, left-handed pitcher Angel Torres and outfielder Sam Mejias.

The three players coming to St. Louis, all of whom will be placed on the major-league baseball team's roster, played last year for Cardinals man-

ager VERA RAPP at Denver in the Triple-A American Association.

Dunning, 27, was the pick of Cleveland Indians in the 1970 free agent draft and compiled a 12-23 record with the team in 1970 and 1971. In May, 1973, he was traded to Texas Rangers and two years later moved to the Chicago White Sox Denver farm club where he had a 15-9 record.

Dunning went to California Angels in December 1975 and was 0-0 in four games last season.

During last season his contract was purchased by the Expos where he was 2-6 in 32 games with an ERA of 4.15.

Scott, 25, is a switch-hitter who signed with Montreal in 1969 and worked his way through the team's farm system. He started in left field for the Expos in 1975 before moving to Denver for all of last season. At Denver he hit .311 in 106 games and stole 18 bases.

The 24-year-old Scanlon, a left-handed hitter, has played both first base and third base. After being signed by the Expos in 1970 he played in the minors until he started the 1975 season with the major

league club. Last season at Denver, under Rapp, he hit .308 with 18 homers and 75 runs batted in before going to Montreal.

Grier was 1-5 in 47 games for the Cards last year in a relief role. Torres and Mejias have both played in the minors since being signed by the Cardinals.

## SISLER QUILTS AS PRESIDENT

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) — George H. Sisler Jr., resigned Monday as president of baseball's International League.

Sisler, 59, told owners at an emergency meeting that he was quitting "to pursue other baseball interests."

He had been president of the AAA league for 11 years.

## June Trial Date For Four Flyers

TORONTO (CP) — Four Philadelphia Flyers hockey players facing assault charges will go on trial in June after the hockey season ends, Judge Walter Martin of county court decided Monday.

Crown attorney Robert McGee wanted a January trial date, but defence counsel George Finlayson argued that holding the trial then would be "punishing the team in mid-season when it should be concentrating on playing hockey."

The charges involve incidents at National Hockey League playoff games in April between the Flyers and Toronto Maple Leafs.

Don Saleski and Joe Watson will be tried June 1 on charges of assaulting a policeman and possession of a dangerous weapon, their hockey sticks.

A June 8 trial date was set for Mel Bridgman, charged with assault causing bodily harm to Ron Salminger of the Maple Leafs.

Bob Kelly, charged with assault causing bodily harm to an usherette at Maple Leaf Gardens, goes on trial June 15.

## O.C. SOCCER SCORES

LONDON (Reuters) — Monday's United Kingdom scores:

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## 3 INCUMBENTS FACE OPPOSITION

A 33-year-old toolmaker has sparked a footrace for three Esquimalt aldermanic seats in the Nov. 20 municipal election.

Barry Gilbert of 850 Phoenix is decided to make a contest for the three incumbents seeking re-election.

"I don't think any group should get in by acclamation," he said in an interview. "They should have some challenge at the polls."

So the gun has sounded and the race is on with Gilbert up against a 10-year man, one who has served for four years as an alderman and another looking for his second term in office.

They are Art Mebs, 57, of 451 Lampson, seeking to add to his 10-year record; Jim McEvay, 54, of 401 Treebank Road, seeking his third term, and Larry Mann, 55, of 1019 Arcadia.

There doesn't appear to be any single burning issue in the campaign although one plank of concern in most of the candidates' platforms is an improvement in the transportation facilities.

Mebs, a fire prevention officer at HMC Dockyard, says it is time to develop a regional transportation system.

He says Esquimalt should not be forced to accept the adverse effects of growth outside the municipality and so alternative routes between Langford-Colwood and the Victoria area should be found.

McEvay, owner-manager of Nu-Way Cleaners Ltd., says

he is interested in encouraging the development of clean, light industry in Esquimalt's industrial zone to broaden the tax base. He is also keen on working towards completion of the community's projects in the Neighborhood Improvement Program.

Mann, a consultant with the department of health, supports more senior citizen housing, removal of the oil storage tanks from Esquimalt, the acquisition of waterfront lands and creation of bicycle paths.

Gilbert, running for the first time, wants municipalities to have a greater share of provincial resource money to ease the burden on taxpayers.

He would also like to see the construction of a public safety building, an alternative sewage system and a feasibility study into a dial-a-bus scheme.

Oak Bay residents passed up the municipal election last year when no one challenged the incumbents.

But this year, six candidates — three of them incumbents — are seeking the four aldermanic vacancies. Mayor Brian Smith is in the middle of his two-year term.

Three three-two-year vacancies are being sought by incumbents Shirley Dowell, John Gault and Doug Watts and newcomer Jacqueline Sellgren.

Gault, of 1605 York Place, is chairman of the zoning committee and has been on council for six years.

His platform favors a fairer share for municipalities of the total tax pie and greater efficiency in the operation of Oak Bay.

Watts, of 2255 Woodlawn, is chairman of works committee and has served 16 years on council.

He says there is a need for financial restraint after last year's "staggering" increase in taxes, even though a large part of it was due to schools. He advocates maximum efficiency by streamlining municipal operations and a "very careful" attitude on expenditures.

Dowell, of 3080 Midland, is chairman of parks and recreation committee and has served on council for six years.

She says she will continue the fight to preserve Oak Bay by voting against spot zoning, no high-rises and a 45-foot limit on apartment heights, insist on concrete construction for apartments and 150 per cent parking and "hold the line on taxes" for 1977 and 1978.

She is also the sole candidate for director on the Capital Regional District. Sellgren, of 1587 Hampshire, moved to Oak Bay with her

husband from Toronto 18 months ago.

She is running on an environmental platform, opposing high-rises and favoring public transit over the private car.

Two candidates are seeking the one-year aldermanic vacancy on council, created by the resignation of Ald. Doug McLelland.

John Buckley, of 470 Oliver, is a retired senior administrator in the provincial government.

One of his particular concerns is sewage disposal expenditures which he describes as "millions of dollars on

what can only be considered another patch on a system which should have been done away with before the turn of the century."

Neil Swainson, of 1823 Beach, is a professor of political science at the University of Victoria.

He favors a "very careful" approach to rezoning so that Oak Bay can maintain its attractive residential character and believes this is the time for "real economy, real scrutiny" in municipal expenditures.

## SEARCHES UP

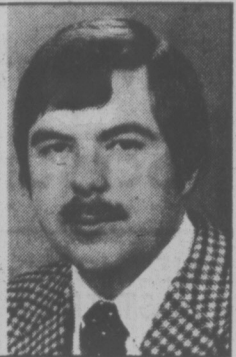
There were 3,186 air-sea rescue searches launched to date compared with 2,671 for the corresponding period last year, a Search and Rescue spokesman said Monday. Greatest increase was marine operations, with 2,177 compared with 1,916 last year. The spokesman said about 97 per cent of the air-sea rescue operations have been successful.

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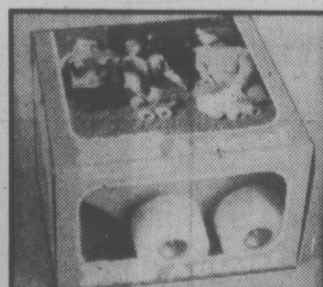
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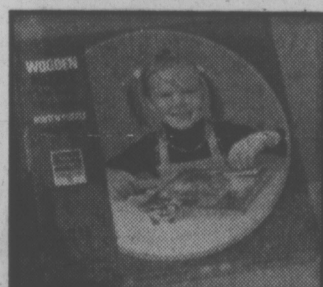
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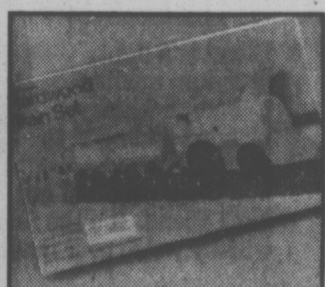
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## Islanders Aid Sick Boy

Residents of Salt Spring Island are raising funds to help pay for cancer treatments for an 11-year-old island boy.

Mel Topping, one of the fund organizers, said Monday \$6,000 had been raised up to Saturday when island residents held a card-playing blitz.

The boy, Ricky Andrews, is undergoing radiation and drug treatment at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., in efforts to save his right arm.

Topping isn't sure how much was raised in the poker and black-jack played Saturday, but he said island school children, service clubs and the local rod and gun club all have contributed to the fund.

Dennis Andrews, the boy's father, said the family already has spent \$4,000 in travelling expenses and he does not know how much his son's treatments will cost.

A specialist has diagnosed bone cancer in Ricky's arm.

Since Ricky went to the clinic in September, island residents have held dances, fashion shows and a sheet shoot to help the family with the cost of treatment.

Andrews said 13 specialists at Mayo are working on his son who has been taking treatment like a trooper.

"They told him outright he could die, and they told him they might have to take his arm," he said. "But Ricky was just tremendous. He faces the fact that if it's got to be, it's got to be."

The company also denies excessive profit-taking or inefficiency, pointing out that Gulf's 1.6-cent-a-gallon profit in 1975 and a 7.9-per-cent return on capital investment during the past five years cannot be called excessive.

## Gulf Oil Lashes Commission

VANCOUVER (CP) — Gulf Oil Canada Ltd. lashed out Monday at a B.C. Energy Commission report on gasoline retailing, claiming the report's main thrust was "misleading and misplaced."

In a 42-page brief to the provincial government, Gulf says the report addressed matters affecting dealers — a special interest group — rather than the overall retailing structure.

The company also says the industry was denied the opportunity to challenge concepts and information on which the report's recommendations were based.

The report was commissioned by the former New Democratic Party government and was released last December, shortly after the NDP was defeated in the Dec. 11 provincial general election.

Gulf says the recommendation that major oil companies be curbed in the retail market is the same as suggesting supermarkets be curbed to protect corner grocery stores.







# Let It Happen! They're Set

## Specialists Only on New Emergency Team

By AB KENT  
Times Staff

A used bread van and eight specially trained Victoria and Saanich policemen are adding a new tactical dimension to police work in Greater Victoria.

The emergency response team is the second organized in B.C., following Vancouver, and has been set up to deal

with unusual situations with techniques borrowed from the military.

Members are issued special equipment like bulletproof jackets and tear gas canisters, and the team will operate from a converted van holding racks of weapons, radios and rescue gear.

Chief John Gregory of Victoria city police said the ERT

is strictly a "be prepared operation" and should not be compared to the "SWAT" — strategic weapons and tactics team — portrayed on television.

But the resemblance is there.

The four Victoria and four Saanich policemen who volunteered for the extra training and potentially more hazardous duties will wear service boots, coveralls and peaked golf-type cap.

If required, they may also wear steel helmets and carry rifles.

The Victoria team finished its three weeks of police college training two weeks ago.

Like all policemen, the team's first duty is to protect life. At the same time, they are trained to react quickly and employ support equipment not available to regular patrolmen.

Faced with attacking an armed person shooting from behind a barricade or holding a hostage, they may have to draw a pistol and shoot it with a high degree of accuracy.

One member of the team is an anti-sniper specialist, a marksman with a rifle; another is primarily an observer, a third is a scout and a fourth acts as rear guard. The first man is team leader, and like the others, he is also trained in alternative roles.

Each man carries a small portable radio worth \$7,500 to keep him in constant contact with his teammates and the police. Inspector responsible for calling the ERT into play.

The inspector is the field commander of any emer-



CHIEF GREGORY  
... SWAT, it isn't

gency operation and he too has had special training.

In all, the B.C. Police Commission has spent about \$35,000 on the truck and its fittings.

The vehicle is kept downtown and is available to respond anywhere on southern Vancouver Island with police in the area requesting it, responsible for command.

Gregory said as few as four men at a time could form an ERT, with others placed on alert. Some of the eight would be on standby to cover during illness or vacation to make sure at least four will be on duty on a call.

The chief said there had been several instances in recent years when an ERT

team would have been useful in Victoria — two of them involving a dangerous prisoner who escaped custody and took a hostage.

Rescue gear carried in the van includes mountaineering tackle for climbing.

There are also fire extinguishers, first aid gear, smoke grenades, shotguns and ammunition.

The truck itself is painted dark blue, bears small white letters denoting POLICE ERT and has a siren and flashing red and blue lights. It is not designed as a pursuit vehicle, but rather as a command post.

Policemen responding to an emergency call will leave their normal duties as members of the uniform or detective branches and proceed to a designated site where they will meet the van and their teammates.

The Victoria police department asked for volunteers last April — including women — and got 11 responses, all from men.

Four applicants were selected to take extra training after passing strict psychological and physical tests.

Each volunteer must have the permission of his spouse to participate in the team, be preferably between 25 and 31 years of age, able to run 1 1/2 miles in 10 minutes or less; throw a 14-pound ball 25 feet or more, cover at least seven feet in a standing broad jump, climb a rope using hands only for at least 15 feet, do a series of pushups, chinups and sit-ups, and swim 50 metres in at least 45 seconds.



—Bill Halkett photo

### Team member and \$65,000 unit

Eyesight must be good without the aid of glasses.

Finally — reflecting a growing concern — the candidate must either be a non-smoker or prove that smoking does not impair his physical performance.

Besides the initial training, an ERT member must put in two days a month in field training and spend two hours a week on rifle target shooting.

Four Victoria inspectors

have had extra training as field commanders, plus one from Saanich which has also trained a staff sergeant and deputy chief for this role. They are not part of the ERT but are fully responsible for directing it.

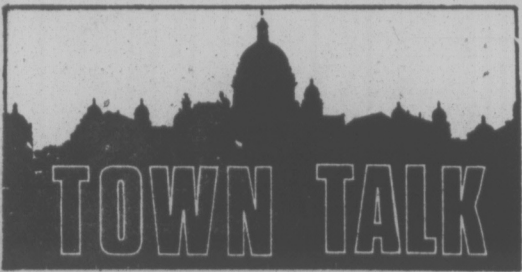
In an operation involving a hostage, for example, police would first confirm the situation through regular routines, probably working through a

negotiator, and the duty inspector would be on the scene to decide whether to call out the ERT.

He then would make decisions, based in information from the negotiator, who would be the only contact with the abductor, Gregory said.

But each situation will have different characteristics.

"There are no guidelines. You do what you have to do at the time," he said.



There was something of the Roman circus about Goldstream Park over the weekend as a great mob turned out to see the annual salmon spawning run in the little river.

Ladies in furs were there, families with their dog, young couples with long hair. Cars jammed the parking lot and lined the highway. Hotdogs and coffee were sold from a trailer and the scent of mustard and relish filled the air.

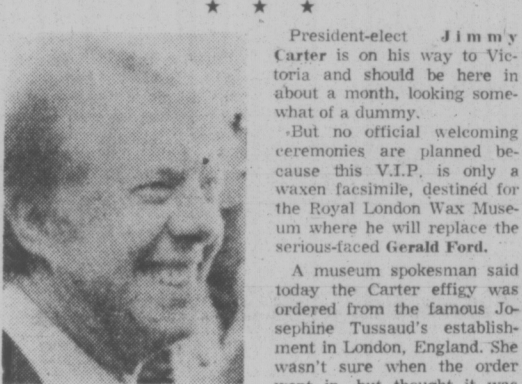
Meanwhile, in ludicrous contrast to this holiday crowd strolling about, the salmon, tattered and blotched, thrashed the last of their lives away on their nesting grounds.

"That's Victoria," said one cynical observer, "they really turn out for any special occasion — provided it's free."

B.C. Hydro chairman Robert Bonner expects the 10 cent bus fare increase to bring in an additional \$13.2 million over the next 12 months.

Hmmm. That's 132 million dimes. It's 11 million passengers a month, or 366,666 per day, and that's only in Victoria and the Lower Mainland and excludes children, students and pensioners.

So how cum the transit system loses so much money if it is used by so many people?



CARTER  
... coming here

Town Talk's informant only laughed when asked whether Carter will be munching peanuts and ogling a copy of Playboy magazine.

Wonder how many more millions were added Sunday and Monday nights to the numbers of movie fans who have seen the 1938 American masterpiece, Gone With The Wind, which CIV ran in two segments.

For many years GWTW was the longest film ever made in the Western Hemisphere and its astronomical box office receipts continue to come in with periodic showings over its 37-year history.

But the world record for longest movie was set in Japan in 1961 with the film, The Human Condition, which ran eight hours, 50 minutes.

Provincial court prosecutor Armand Petronio thinks it's a bit much, to say the least.

Petronio put down his raincoat on a front-row bench in court Monday and went to work.

But at noon, no coat. Somebody had swiped it.

Grumbled Petronio: "An umbrella I could excuse ... people just help themselves, but a coat ... that's something else."

Petronio admits he might personally prosecute if the culprit is caught.

Thursday's a day to remember for kids.

They'll be able to see a special showing of Hey There ... It's Yogi Bear at the Fox Cinema, all for the admission price of one usable toy. Doors open at 10:30 a.m. with the show starting at 11:15.

The toys will be sent to William Head federal prison where inmates will sort and where necessary repaint for distribution as gifts to children at an inmate party next month.

The project is sponsored by the John Howard Society of Victoria.

Non-movie goers may contribute to the cause by placing toys in barrels in Hillside, Mayfair and Commerce malls (Douglas and View) beginning Nov. 12. Home pickups may also be arranged by calling 386-3428.

Sidney mayor Peter Malcolm is wondering "if we'll have to go through the whole bloody ringerole" once again with newly-appointed Recreation Minister Sam Bawlf.

He's referring to the tiresome business of trying to get action on the North Saanich and Sidney application for a \$616,000 grant for the new peninsula recreation centre.

Malcolm and Mayor Paul Greive thought they'd made progress with former minister Grace McCarthy. At least she hadn't said no.

What about it, Sam?

Dallas Road waterwatchers were intrigued Monday by the sight of vessels between Brothie Ledge and Clover Point manipulating with what looked like the long-sought Cadborosaurus monster.

Ministry of transport's district manager Larry Slaght explains the exercise was one of about four planned to make crews conversant with techniques used in clearing up oil pollution.

MoT's Sir James Douglas and two smaller vessels were working with a Vikoma boom, which on the surface looks like a wriggling monster. The boom, which MoT acquired a year ago, is superior to the conventional type because it has better stability on turbulent waters.

Victoria continues to get more than its share of honors in the real estate field.

Pip Holmes of Victoria is president of the International Real Estate Federation and a past president of the Canadian Real Estate Association. Eric Charman is president of the B.C. Real Estate Board.

In addition, Norman Ross of Victoria has been elected senior vice president of the Canadian Real Estate Association and John Thomson, chairman of the Victoria Real Estate Board, has been named B.C. chairman of education for real estate salesmen.

This week the Canadian Real Estate Association began naming the six salesmen who will be directors to the national board. First appointment went to Jim Tyler of Victoria.

## PLANES PRESS SEARCH

The search intensified today for the Victoria Flying Services Cessna 172 missing since Sunday with four Saanich residents on a flight from Kelowna to Victoria.

Eight volunteer civilian aircraft from the Provincial Emergency Program have joined the search. Also in the air was a Canadian armed forces Tracker and a Labrador helicopter from CFB Comox.

Another Labrador and two Buffalo aircraft, grounded by fog in Prince George after another aerial search, were assigned to look for the aircraft.

One of the Buffalos was checking out a beacon signal reported in the Fraser Valley area while the other was transporting searchmaster Major Leslie (Ozzie) Osborne from Comox to Abbotsford where a search headquarters is to be established.

The missing plane was last reported about 5 p.m. Sunday five miles northeast of Abbotsford.

Missing are pilot Joseph Marton, 44, of 1611 Kisher Avenue, and his two sons, Ian, 11 and Robert, 14, and Gordon Wilson, 26, of 941 Dunn Avenue.



TO HANG or not to hang seems to be the question, but really it was just a matter of roping up a little repair work at The Bay on Monday. (Max Low photo)

## 50 Still Won't Pay Hospital Strike Levy

There are 50 members of the Hospital Employees Union — including 10 from the Gorge Road Hospital — still refusing to help cover the costs of rotating strikes last spring.

The union set Nov. 1 as a deadline for union members who did not take part in rotating strikes last May to sign a new membership card authorizing a deduction of one day's pay.

Those who failed to meet that deadline would be docked two day's pay and if they still remained obstinate the union held out the possibility that they would be expelled from the union.

Union secretary Jack Gerow said today all the fuss created about the possible dismissal of hospital employees is "a tempest in a teapot."

He said the union is a long way from the final step of dismissing the 10 recalcitrant members at the Gorge.

He said executive members will meet with those refusing to pay and seek their reasons.

They will be told then that they will now be docked two day's pay, he said.

If after being told the reasons for the assessment, the members still refuse to sign the card, the provincial executive will meet and discuss other options, Gerow said.

He said even if it comes to the final stage, a member is still entitled to a trial where his or her case will be heard by a panel.

Gerow said it is difficult to explain why 10 of the 350 employees at the Gorge are objecting in light of the fact Gorge workers voted strongly in May to go on strike although never called upon to do so.

He said some members object because they feel the union should have had a strike fund.

However, Gerow said, since the union had not had a strike in 30 years it was never thought necessary to set up

any sort of defence fund. However, at the union's convention last month delegates voted to set up a \$1 million strike fund because it appeared they were in for some stormy negotiations in years to come.

By PAUL MOSS  
Times Staff

Members of the Springridge Neighborhood Improvement Program committee today urged Victoria city council to give the community at least a chance to show what it can do in administering its own housing program with NIP funds.

"All we ask is that council give us one year to try this program and see how much we can achieve in that time," said Richard Krieger, Springridge NIP committee chairman.

Krieger said in an interview that 1,300 of the 1,600 area residents recently surveyed on NIP priorities supported the concept of housing development being undertaken by a neighborhood-based non-profit housing society.

Yet city council seems to be either opposed to that principle or at least reluctant to make any commitments under the program planning stage, he said.

"I suppose they see a non-profit housing society as a sort of political base and they want to retain absolute control (over allocation of NIP money)," he added.

Another community representative, Lucy Nelson, who co-ordinated the area survey during the summer and now serves on the NIP panel sub-committee, said residents are upset and annoyed over what she termed derogatory com-



KRIEGER  
... "give us one year"

ments made Monday by Ald. Murray Glazier.

The alderman's reported views infer that certain Springridge residents are involved in the NIP projects because they might obtain individual benefit from it, she said.

"It makes me mad to hear this kind of thing, when I consider the incredible amount of time and energy so many people have put in over the last year."

"I don't know a single person who stands to receive any personal gain from this at all," Krieger dismissed Glazier's

comments as "indulging in election theatrics."

The alderman had also said Monday council was not prepared yet to indicate whether it would endorse the proposal that \$350,000 of the \$1 million NIP total be turned over to a non-profit housing society.

Council wants to reserve that as an option, but also to consider proposal calls to developers and applications from housing co-operatives, he said.

But Krieger and Nelson say the trouble with this non-committal stance is that area residents have no assurances as to the type of housing development they will eventually get.

Nelson pointed out that in the survey, residents gave their first choice as single-family dwellings and their second as duplexes.

For this reason, the Fernwood Community Non-Profit Housing Society wants to use NIP cash to buy up large, older homes and convert them into reasonably-priced accommodation for persons and families on low incomes.

But certain council members seem to be unable to understand why anyone would prefer older housing to new development.

If council has its way, it will probably acquire the land, sell it at a profit to developers and the end result will be featureless rows of townhouses, she said.

## Election Meeting Lineup

The Crystal Pool Users' Association will sponsor an all-candidates' meeting at 7:30 tonight at the Crystal Pool, 2275 Quadra.

Two other public meetings are scheduled for Victoria aldermanic candidates in the Nov. 20 election.

The Fairfield Community Association will sponsor one Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Fairfield United Church Hall, and the

Communities United for Action will hold one at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 17 in St. John's Anglican Church.

There are two more all-candidates' meetings scheduled for the 10 aldermanic candidates in Saanich.

The Royal Oak and District Ratepayers' Association and the Northridge Community Association will co-sponsor a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 17 in

Holland House, 733 Vanalman. On Nov. 18 at 8 p.m. there will be a meeting in the Gordon Head United Church under the sponsorship of the Gordon Head and District Ratepayers' Association.

An Oak Bay all-candidates meeting will be held next Tuesday, Nov. 16, at 8 p.m. in the municipal hall.

The meeting is sponsored by the Association of Women Electors.

No all-candidates' meetings have been arranged for Esquimalt candidates although they will appear on a series of programs to be held on Channel 10 under the sponsorship of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The television dates are: Nov. 16 at 9 p.m. — Esquimalt; Nov. 17 at 9 p.m. — Oak Bay; Nov. 18 at 7 p.m. — Victoria; Nov. 19 at 9 p.m. — Saanich.





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Both husband and wife are professionals in education, and desk space was a must. A 28-inch high counter around the room, with drawers and cupboards, handled that need. And the desk area can hold a portable sewing machine as

well as a typewriter. The ample counter provides space for laying out patterns in addition to the spreading around of papers and books, or crafts can be worked upon. And should the kitchen counters become crowded, the room extension again offers convenience.

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Inaugurated in 1969, the course offers a four-year bachelor's degree, and there are also masters and doctorate programs.

The course aims at acquainting the future teacher with the manifold educational, psychological and social problems children at either end of the educational spectrum face.

Dr. Lillian Whyte, one of the course's faculty, said the special education program is geared to individual needs of children. The program therefore eschews labels of all kinds, which the faculty believe blur differences among children.

Students in the course receive a solid grounding in psychology, counselling, and in the techniques of communicating with unusual children.

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During pioneer times, hollowed-out gourds were the universal drinking cup and many a Colonial home contained cooking utensils, dishes, toys and musical instruments made from the hard-shelled fruit.

Most back-to-the-landers and other rural folks just plant gourds for the fun of it today. They're easy to raise, take up very little space and require almost no attention.



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And speaking of next year: Why not try shaping your gourds while they're still growing? Some folks create "Bottlenecks" by constricting a portion of each future container with soft tape and others form upturned "handles" by frequently (but gently) bending the stems of immature long varieties!

# Good Fights Can Clear the Marriage Air

TORONTO (CP) — A good fight between marriage partners every now and then is necessary, says Rev. Bill Sparling, co-leader of a community workshop for married couples.

"It clarifies issues if you work at it right and allows underlying emotions to be expressed," he said. "Fighting is tough. Passions are so involved."

Part of the workshop concentrates on teaching couples how to fight fairly. And how people fight has a lot to do with who the opponent is, Rev. Sparling said.

Intimate enemies frequently have a practised aim for the emotional jujitsu, marital counsellors say.

Parents fight with their children. Friends fight with friends. One of the toughest fights to pick, and win, is a fight with your boss, personnel experts say. The boss has all the power.

Picking fights or arguments amounts to a pastime for some people. Almost everyone knows somebody who has what the French call the contradictory spirit. They'd sooner argue than eat.

Others fear a fight and will go to almost any lengths to avoid conflict.

Elizabeth Bohnen of the YWCA, which offers about 12 courses in assertiveness training, said: "People are afraid they'll hurt other people's

feelings or lose a friendship. Some are afraid they'll be rejected by another person if they tell it like it is."

Women have a tougher time learning to fight clean, she said.

"Society teaches women to be passive. Women try manipulation to win an argument. They're taught to be coy or to use tears."

Dr. John Jameson, a Toronto psychiatrist who uses assertiveness-training techniques, said the method won't always ensure you'll come out a winner in every fight, but people will feel better by saying what they think instead of denying or hiding their true feelings.

"There's no foolproof way to win every argument. The

most you can do is employ certain techniques that will elicit people's co-operation and a hearing for your point of view."

He said the quickest way to lose an argument is to get sidetracked into peripheral issues, usually emotionally charged, and end up in a hassle with the original issue still left up in the air.

"Don't bring up the past," said Sparling. "A fight for some people is permission to bring up all the things that ever happened. Some people delve down into arsenals of past hurts and sling them at the other person."

The marital arena is often the scene of dirty fighting, he said. "Don't go into insults or blame because it alienates the

other person and doesn't deal with the real issue."

Sparling advises marriage partners to pick their moments. "It sounds silly, but some couples actually schedule their fights. That way they can confront their disagreements in quiet hours or without other distractions or irritations."

There are unreasonable people in the world, Dr. Jameson said. You may have a sane, wise, logical suggestion, but if someone doesn't want to accept it, there's no way you are going to get them to do what you want.

The experts offered several tips on how to conduct a fight with an eye to victory.

—Know what you want to say. Marshal your arguments.

Rehearse with a friend. Stick to the point. Don't make two points at once. Look your best. Keep eye contact.

—Flatter the other guy's ego. Stand up, move around.

Don't raise your voice. Don't name-call. Take deep breaths. Don't cry. If your hands shake, don't smoke. Talk fast. Know when to bow out. If things get violent, duck.

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## 'Girls Don't Do That' Should Never Be Said

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) —

Girls should never be told, "That's not for girls" or "don't do that—girls don't do that," says Dr. Robert Mason, chief psychiatrist at Windsor Western Hospital Centre.

Dr. Mason is a believer in the "blurring of roles." That is, he feels a girl should be encouraged to express her interests, no matter what they are.

"Ensure all children in the family take a turn at doing each and every household chore," he said in an interview. "Impress upon father that he has a very important role to play, particularly during a daughter's teen years, and allow her to see firsthand an open communication and a relationship of equals between her parents."

Dr. Mason said that if a girl wants to take ballet lessons that is fine but that she shouldn't be discouraged from karate, judo or hockey.

He said it is important not to force a girl into a tight role and narrow her vistas.

Dr. Mason said fathers should make certain they give their daughters enough affection and attention.

"A father should respond to his daughter," he said. "They like to be admired from we toddlers. Affection helps them to develop their own identity. I always made sure I complimented my daughters when praise was deserved."

Dr. Susan London, a psychologist said parents who have high ambitions for their daughters should introduce them to women professionals.

They should take their daughters, for example, to a woman doctor, or introduce them to women in key industry jobs. Making their daughters aware of famous women also helps.

Dr. Mason is the father of three girls.

The doctor said lack of attention from a father is a factor in neurosis and emotional problems in girls.

"In virtually every case where there is a neurosis or an emotional problem in a woman, there has been a lack of affection from father during the formative years."

Dr. Mason said it is also "awfully important for parents to counsel children regarding changes in the body."

He acknowledged that, in the case of a girl, the mother has the largest role to play in informing of impending maturity, and said she should not shirk the responsibility.

He said a mother should sit down with the girl and explain, with tenderness and sensitivity, such changes as development of the breasts and menstruation.

"So often, a poor self-image and anger is created in a girl because mother didn't take her shopping but instead gave her some old bra that was three sizes too large."

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dear abby

## Molested Must Stay

DEAR ABBY: You've printed several letters about incest, including one suggesting that it could be the fault of the girls for tempting men by wearing provocative clothing.

Well, when I was a skinny 12-year-old (with a 28 AAA bra) I suffered the torment of hell when my own father couldn't resist my "Twiggy" figure.

I married the first man who asked me just to get out of the house, but because of those nightmarish experiences I was frightened and my marriage failed. I was forced to move back with my parents, and my father started in on me again. That's when I moved out for good.

Since then, I have heard of many cases and I was glad to see it mentioned in your column. Men like my father

don't deserve to be protected. Abby, I wish someone had let me know sooner that I should speak up instead of keeping quiet and feeling that I was in some way to blame.

Keep up the good work! BORN TOO SOON.

DEAR BORN: Incest frequently goes unpunished because the victims dread the humiliation of publicity and they fear reprisals. Children (both boys and girls) should be encouraged to speak up if anyone takes liberties with their bodies.

Adults who sexually use youngsters are sick, and their behavior is criminal. And the consequences of their crimes sometimes leave emotional scars that remain for a lifetime.

DEAR ABBY: My problem is beyond solving, but my loss

might be someone else's gain if you print this.

My beloved father recently died after a mercifully brief illness. He will be remembered by his children and grandchildren with respect and admiration, but I regret deeply that I do not have one picture of this beautiful man that isn't over 20 years old! I am so sorry that I didn't insist that my father have a really fine portrait made showing his beautiful gray hair and the character lines that time etched on his lovely face.

All I have are a few very bad snapshots taken on a fishing trip six years ago. Abby, please tell children that an ideal Christmas gift would be to TAKE their aging parents to the finest photographer in town and treat them to a sitting. How I wish I had! TOO LATE FOR ME.

DEAR TO LATE: Thanks for an excellent idea. I'll pass it on.

DEAR ABBY: I'm glad you didn't tell "NORMAL AND HEALTHY AT 17" it was all right to go all the way with her boyfriend just because she felt something "special" for him.

I had the same weakness for guys when I was 17. And the number of boys I "felt something special for" grew to nearly 30 guys by the time I was 20. I finally lost count.

I'm 30 now and haven't changed much. Not one of those guys I felt something special for ever asked me to marry him. After all, who needs a swinging wife with no self-control? LONELY SWINGER AT 30.

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By HARRIET HART

Did you know that some 7,680 women in Canada are farmers and that many more are employed in farming on a part-time basis?

The 12-page bilingual booklet *Women in Agriculture* points out that at present over 3.9 billion humans populate our earth. Within 25 years their number will probably rise to between six and seven billion.

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Agriculture is still Canada's largest business and provides about one third of the country's jobs. Most of these jobs are not on farms but are in farm related industries and

businesses. This is why careers in agriculture are so varied.

The booklet describes a number of specialized job opportunities in agriculture and pictures some of the women who have followed a career in agriculture. These include crop, animals and soil scientists, agronomists, veterinary doctors, sociologists, food researchers and communication and promotion experts.

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## your health

## Herbal Cigarettes Can Be Harmful

A family argument needs your expertise. My daughter, 16, and many of her friends smoke herbal cigarettes. I feel that not enough is known about these cigarettes for me to give my sanction for her to continue. — Mrs. H. R., Pa.

Dear Mrs. R.: You are very wise to be wary of a problem that seems to be involving many young people throughout the country.

Herbal cigarettes do not carry the Surgeon-General's warning of potential danger. They should. For many of these cigarettes contain a large amount of chemicals that can cause unpleasant physical and emotional reactions, even hallucinations.

There are, on the open market, more than 400 types of herbs and spices used in the form of teas or in cigarettes. These are available in health food stores and can even be purchased by mail order, by children of any age!

Isn't it a paradox that such potentially dangerous substances are legally carried by "healthy food" stores?

Dr. Roland Siegel, of the University of California School of Medicine, says, "Many of these preparations contain substantial amounts of psychoactive substances and their use has resulted in a number of intoxications that require medical attention."

He further states, "While the use of herbal medicines dates back to ancient Chinese and early Greek practice, non-medical experimentation with herbal intoxicants is having a recent revival as the users search for legal alternatives to the ever-increasing list of restricted drugs."

Most of these herbs are purchased for their apparent marijuana-like effects.

So, Mrs. R., you can see that there is "enough known" about these herbal cigarettes for your daughter to discontinue their use at once.

It seems as if I waste my entire day whenever I go to visit my doctor. Why should we be kept waiting so long in a doctor's office? — Mr. J. E. Tex.

Dear Mr. E.: As a practising physician, I find that I have tremendous respect for my patient's time. I'm sure that most physicians feel this way.

But it isn't always easy to anticipate how much time each patient will require. A special situation may arise and the doctor becomes unavoidably "jammed up." To some patients with unusual anxiety, a delay of minutes may seem to be hours. A recent survey, conducted by the American Medical Association, found that the national average of waiting in doctor's offices is 20 minutes.

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The concerto was specially commissioned by Gati for the Victoria Symphony and Staryk. Glick began work on

the concerto in 1974 and has dedicated it to Staryk and to a special friend, Michael Spivak, who has strongly supported his musical endeavor.

Glick studied with John Weinzwieg at University of Toronto and with Darius Milhaud, Louis Saguer and Max Deutsch in Paris.

He was written several orchestral works on commission, is a producer of music programs for CBC Radio, Toronto, and conductor of the Beth Tikvah Synagogue Choir and until 1969 was teaching composition and theory at the Royal Conservatory of Music.

Staryk has been concertmaster of three of the world's major orchestras — London's

Royal Philharmonic, in Amsterdam and Chicago Symphony.

The concerts also include

the Dvorak New World Symphony and are on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. and Monday at 8 p.m. at the Royal Theatre.

## BEFORE THE JUDGE

"One of the most pathetic cases in the criminal justice area" unfolded Monday in Victoria provincial court.

It concerned the story of a 21-year-old man with the mental capacity of a child.

In a compassionate plea to court, lawyer C. E. Hanman traced the life of Robert R. Zeilstra who had pleaded guilty minutes earlier to charges of mischief and theft.

Zeilstra's story begins with his adoption shortly after birth.

At age 10, he was examined by a Seattle psychiatrist who found that the boy had brain damage resulting from birth.

For the next few years, Zeilstra found himself in various psychiatric institutions and group homes.

In 1969, at age 14, Zeilstra was sent to Riverview mental hospital by provincial cabinet order. He had been declared insane.

He stayed at Riverview for three years, the youngest prisoner-patient on the premises. He received shock treatment which, according to his lawyer, did no good because Zeil-

stra wasn't mentally sick; he was simply lacking adult mental abilities.

Over the years, Zeilstra accumulated a criminal record involving breaking and entering and theft, impersonating a police officer and possessing an offensive weapon.

Hanman told the court "we are not dealing with an adult in the true sense of the word."

The charges that brought Zeilstra before court this time involved theft of about \$8 from the Church of Christ reading room at 1210 Broad Street and setting fire to a shed behind a building at 773 Yates.

The shed burned down, causing an estimated \$550 damage.

Zeilstra told police at the time he burned the shed "for something to do."

Hanman said lack of friends, inability to communicate with adults and lack of something to do was Zeilstra's biggest problem.

He said the man should be under supervision; he needed someone to tell him what to do. Prison, he said, was no place for the accused.

Judge P. S. Green remanded Zeilstra until Nov. 26 for sentence and pre-sentence report. He also told the defence lawyer if he knew how best to help the accused, it was his duty to inform the court.

William Bendall of 698 Hoy Lake Road told court the crabs he caught at Witty's Beach on Oct. 24 were only a quarter of an inch shorter than the legal minimum size of 6.5 inches.

That discrepancy, however, cost him \$50.

Ronald G. Widdifield, charged with abduction, rape and gross indecency last week, appeared briefly.

He was to have been examined by a psychiatrist Monday morning, but the examination was postponed until this

morning. He will appear again today.

Widdifield was arrested by Sooke RCMP and turned over to Central Saanich police last Thursday, a few days after a Central Saanich woman was taken to Sooke by a man, raped and then returned to Central Saanich.

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Possession of a "small quantity" of hash resulted in a 30-day prison term for a 22-year-old man.

Richard D. Smith pleaded guilty to possessing hash and court was told he had a lengthy record of offences, including robbery, possessing a dangerous weapon, impaired driving and uttering forged documents.

Smith was on parole when Victoria police found him in possession of the hash. He has been residing recently at Halfway House, 856 Esquimalt.

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Charles Vincent Dunne, 60, of 801-1420 Beach Drive, pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$500.

On Friday, Roland J. Horvath, 20, of 3150 Harriet Road, was found guilty of impaired driving and fined \$250.

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## JUDGE FLIPPED COIN TO DECIDE VERDICT

NEW ORLEANS — The Louisiana Supreme Court has upheld a judiciary commission's vote to censure a Baton Rouge judge who flipped a coin to determine verdicts.

Judge William Daniels' courtroom behavior included determining the guilt or innocence of a defendant by the toss of a coin.

Besides flipping coins, Daniels' colleagues on the judiciary commission said he poled groups in the courtroom, such as a civics class or a cub scout troop, to determine guilt or innocence.

Daniels also allegedly used "non-judicial" language in the courtroom, referring to persons as "hey man" or "cat" and referring to money as "bread."

He was fined the cost of the censure hearings.

## people

### Jagger Rushing Love Letters

LONDON — Mick Jagger went to court Monday to stop his former girlfriend, Christine Shrimpton, from revealing details of letters he wrote to her during their romance.

Jagger, 33, had a temporary injunction barring Miss Shrimpton, younger sister of model Jean Shrimpton, from making the letters public.

Jagger's latest move seeks to make that injunction a permanent ban to prevent Miss Shrimpton from selling the letters for publication without his permission.

SIoux FALLS, S.D. — When South Dakota's director of economic development died three weeks ago, he left a wife and four children in Pierre. He also left a wife and five children less than 200 miles away in Sioux Falls.

Bob Martin's double home life surfaced because lawyers for both families inquired about his estate after he died of a heart attack on Oct. 16 at the age of 52.

State Attorney General William Janklow said an investigation is under way. "All it's going to do is wreck the innocent kids," he said. "And on top of it, their father's dead."

SALT LAKE CITY — Gary Gilmore, condemned to die before a firing squad next Monday in the first execution in the United States since 1967, has been given a reprieve he didn't want.

The Utah Supreme Court on Monday stayed by a vote of 3 to 2 a district judge's order of execution. The high court said it acted to allow time for an appeal of Gilmore's death sentence for the murder of a night clerk during a motel robbery.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Country music singer George Jones Monday flew to London, where his former wife, singer Tammy Wynette, is in hospital after a collapse in a hotel.

"I want to be with her," Jones said. "I want to help her. She has some concert engagements to fulfill. I'll do them for her."

FAIRBANKS, Alaska — Two dogs attacked a 15-year-old girl. She escaped after biting one of the animals and crawling away. Police said Monday that the girl was in fair condition in hospital with 87 lacerations on her face and body. They said the girl was walking to the store when a St. Bernard and German short-haired pointer attacked her and dragged her 17 feet into a wooded area before she escaped by biting the St. Bernard on the nose.

PITTSBURGH — "The next thing you'll hear is the bang," Gus Zanos told his niece over the telephone. And Teddie Killoxios listened at the other end of the line Monday as her 55-year-old uncle, a former

## Despite Editing, Rod Too Dirty for Air Play

By CHARLES M. YOUNG

DESPITE WARNER BROS. editing out of an offending line, Rod Stewart's single, "Tonight's the Night," remains banned on RKO, one of the most important chains of radio stations in the country.

The record has reached 31 with a bullet in the national charts and is Number One in some markets.

"I am provoked because of some of the other double-entendre lines that have been put on the air," said the song's producer, Tom Dowd, referring to such blatantly sexual tunes as Afternoon Delight.

"It is childish to single out 'Tonight's the Night,'" said Dowd. "But if deleting the line means greater exposure to further an artist's career, I'll defer to their judgment. I hope they never try to make records."

RKO Radio president Dwight Case has put himself on record as having "pulled it personally. As far as I was concerned... the lyrics were a little too obvious for me."

A LIZARD-LIKE TONGUE is not the most palatable thing to Archie Bunker and his ilk," said Gene Simmons, bassist-demon of Kiss, about

his appearance on Paul Lynde's Halloween special, where his grotesquely long tongue followed Barbara Eden's navel into network oblivion.

"Whenever I open my mouth on a close-up, they cut to another camera," he said. "Censors don't order anything, they just suggest. The suggestion is if you don't do it, you don't get on the air."

Simmons was also stopped from spitting up blood, a prime feature of his stage act. Still, he felt Kiss had not compromised its integrity by

acquiescing to TV standards. "We didn't crack any jokes," he said. "We remained honorable like the monster in 'Abbott and Costello Meet Frankenstein.'"

The band performed three songs and acted as straight men in some comedy sketches. It was their debut in prime time.

AFTER A LONG AUDITION in which he was chosen over Leslie West and Wayne Perking as the newest guitarist of Lynrd Skynyrd, Steve Gaines still didn't really

feel like a member until that one night a couple of months ago when he had too much to drink in a hotel room on the road, and got sick.

Ronnie (Van Zant, lead singer) went around saying "Anyone who doesn't like him throwing up on the floor is gonna have to put up his

fists," recalled Gaines at a New York press party. "My memory is a little hazy, but I don't think they took his challenge."

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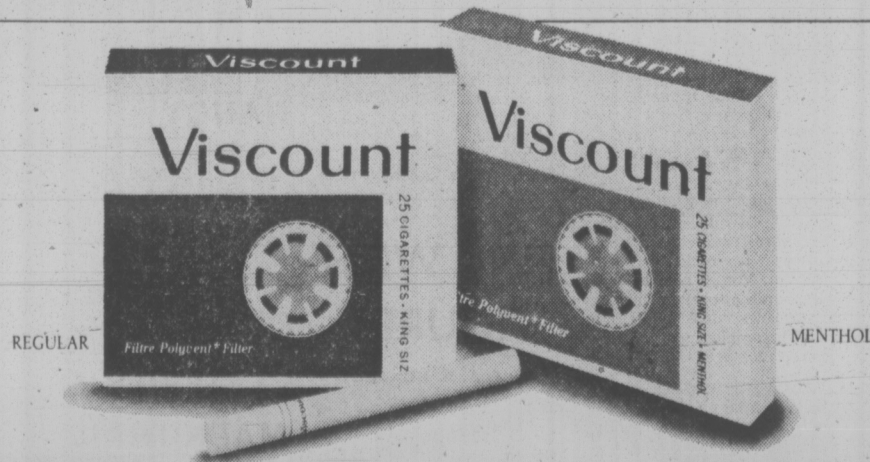
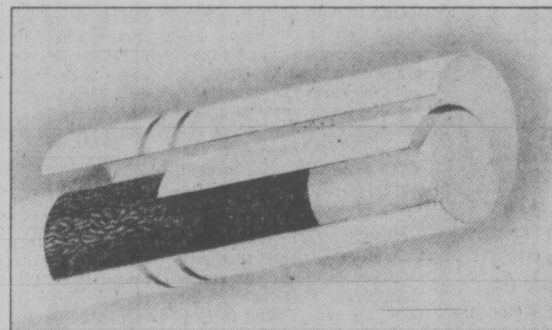
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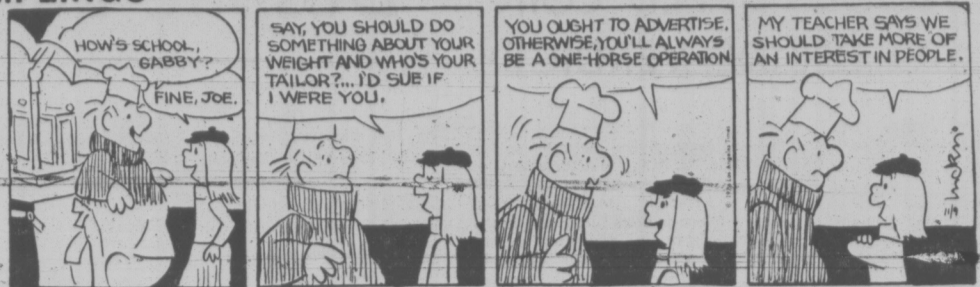
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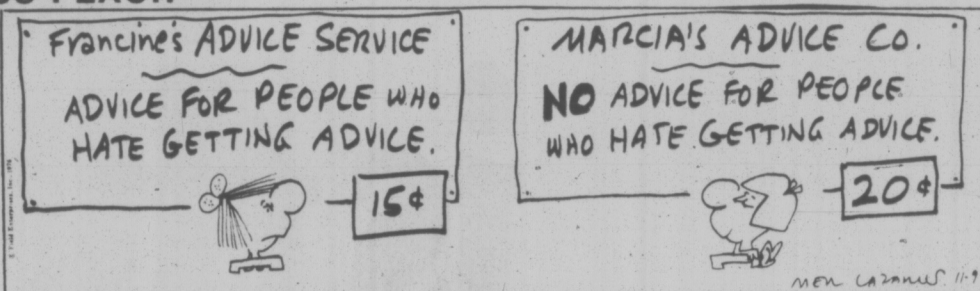
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The Bridge Expert

By FRED KARPIN

The entire bridge-playing population of Alert Bay, British Columbia (on North Vancouver Island), turned out for the 48th Summer National Championships held in Salt Lake City this past August. They totaled four in number, the only bridge players in Alert Bay. The four were John Powell, his wife Barbara, and two friends.

Powell told the following tale concerning his welcome to Salt Lake City. On the first day of play, he and his wife were pitted against two Yankees from Massachusetts. Powell, South, arrived at a four-high contract, was doubled

by the West Yankee, and was set one-trick, vulnerable, for a loss of 200 points. As Powell was recording the score, the East Yankee turned to him with the greeting: "Happy Bicentennial!"

West's penalty double of South's four-high bid was a sporting call, and was based on the hope that he would be able to win four tricks. It turned out to be as he had hoped for, thanks to his partner's possession of the nine of trumps.

On West's king of spades lead, East played the six. On the ace of spades at trick two, East dropped the deuce, completing his high-low signal. West next led a third spade, dummy's queen was played, and East ruffed with the nine of trumps. South really had no option but to overruff with the king — and at that moment West had two sure trump winners. So, South incurred a one-trick set.

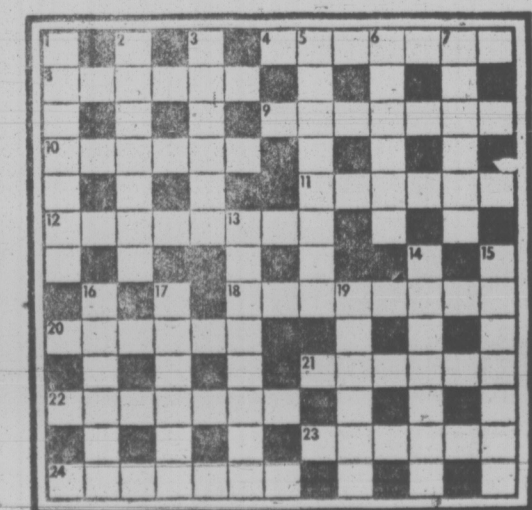
Of course, the two Yankees were lucky. If East had held the eight of trumps and South the nine (instead of the reverse), South would have overruffed the eight with the nine. After then cashing the ace and king of trumps, West would now be left with only one trump winner, the queen. And thanks to West's possession of the club king, declarer's club finesse would have been successful, and the contract would have been fulfilled.

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ANSWERS TO MONDAY'S PUZZLE

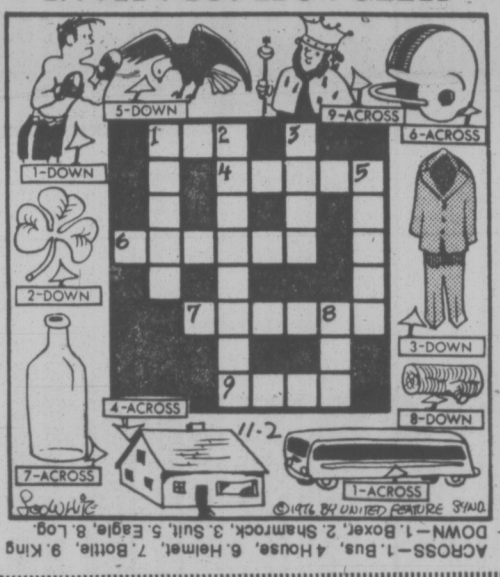
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| 10 Round game | 22 Weightiness | 8 Leading lady |
| 11 Dirge      |                | 12 Rearrange   |
| 13 Scanned    | DOWN           | 15 Hailing     |
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| 16 Resign     | 3 Nurse        | 19 Lupin       |
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| 1 Once more a good man is exposed (7)                         | 1 Half hint tale concerns the past (7)   |
| 2 Take no notice of (16)                                      | 2 Quite an awful (14) (7)  |
| 3 Graduates shortly produce an instrument (7)                 | 3 Make up girl finds the French grating (6)  |
| 4 It's a small matter to produce a sweet (6)                  | 5 13 on the up-grade (8)   |
| 5 Colour of ring found in excavation (6)                      | 6 A member of the team not (18) (6)  |
| 6 Game of chance allowed during the course of the journey (8) | 7 Cast skin in the morass (6)  |
| 7 Formerly antler was changed outside (8)                     | 17.5 putting their feet down (8) (14) Very old worker has nice change of heart (7) |
| 8 Where stars go through the motions? (6)                     | 15 Diver has part of syringe? (7)  |
| 9 The area of 8 (6)   | 16 By which a farmer steers? (6)   |
| 10 It's wrong if it contains 50, 51 and 101 (7)               | 17 Misers become quite forgetful (6)   |
| 11 He won't be expected to take on other engagements (6)      | 19 Cover for the pupil (6)   |
| 12 Prophecy before the seer? (7)                              |  |



SOLUTION WEDNESDAY

LITTLE PEOPLE'S PUZZLE



YOUR HOROSCOPE

Astrological Forecast for Wednesday, November 10 By SYDNEY OMARR

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Accent on security, cooking, saving money, consolidating assets. You are able now to see beyond the immediate, to finish assignment, to contact those who can aid your specific cause. Aries, Libra might play key roles. Build on solid base. Eschew short cuts which cut quality.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Good moon aspects coincide now with short trips, accelerated activity connected with neighbors and relatives. One close to you wants a "new deal." Key is to get to heart of matters, to express feelings, to be independent without being arrogant. Pleasant surprise is on agenda.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Accent on your money and how it got that way. You are urged to protect valuables by one who cares for you. Thinking of security now is an excellent idea. Know it and act accordingly. Something that was lost will be located. Aquarius, Cancer persons figure prominently.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Lunar cycle is such that your intuition is honed to razor-sharpness. Personality, the way you look, timing in general — all could work in your favor. Stress originality, independent action — take initiative. Be a self-starter. Welcome challenge, opportunity, fresh contacts.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Be discreet. Your ideas are considered at closed-door meeting. You may be asked to keep certain matters confidential. This is not easy, but probably necessary. Club, hospital, unique organization, charitable project could be involved. Aquarius, Scorpio, Taurus persons are involved.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Accent on friends, desires, fantasies. Member of opposite sex expresses feelings. Your powers of perception surge to forefront. You're able to analyze, to piece together various aspects of scenario and come up with complete story. Study Taurus message.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You might be promoted, position elevated. Community project appears to be in picture. Family member wants you to exert effort, influence to put across a program. Domestic change, adjustment occurs. Money needed for purchase of luxury item will be forthcoming.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Communication, publishing, writing may be featured. Travel, visits, unique messages are part of your personal scenario. Spiritual insights are gained — you hear inner voice and you know

FUN WITH FIGURES

By J. A. H. HUNTER

Each distinct letter in this very easy addition alphabetic stands for a particular but different digit.

It adds up to BASS, of course, so what's the value of that?

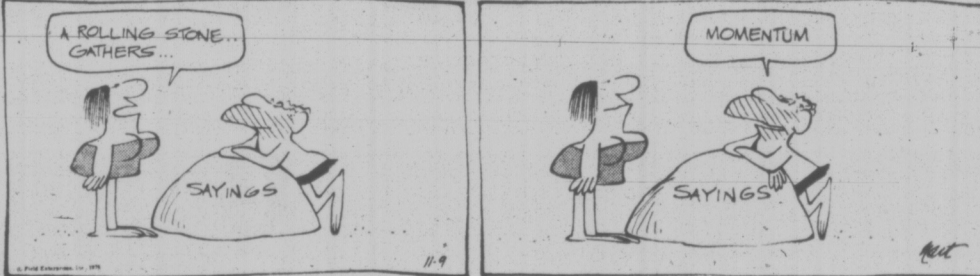
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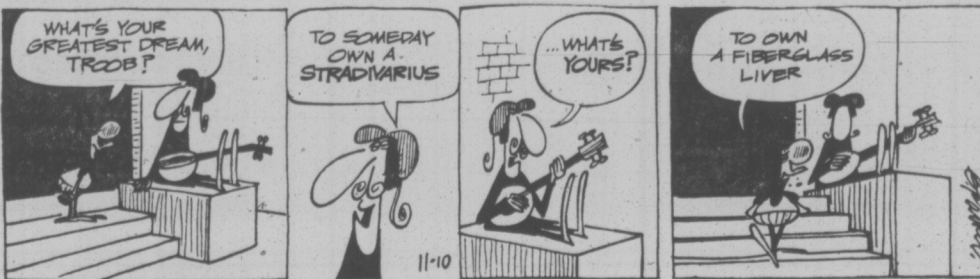
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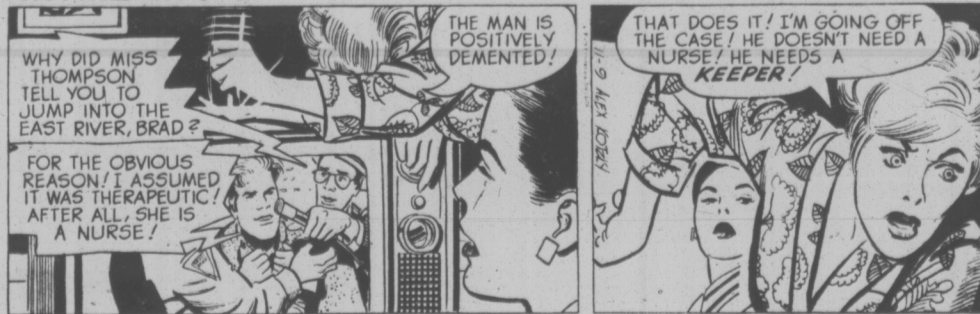
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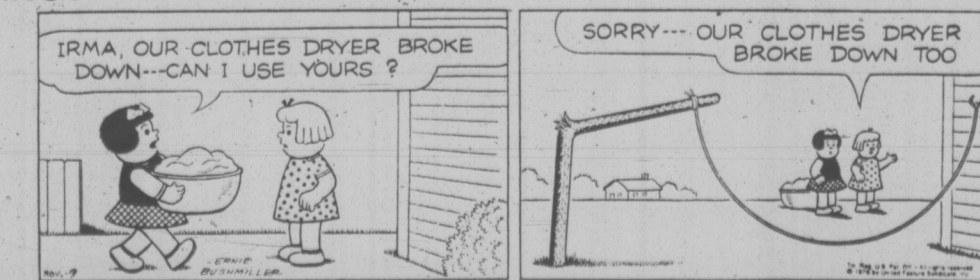
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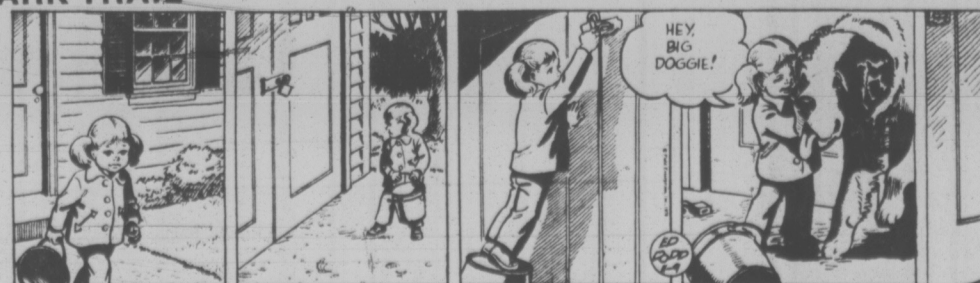
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# Saanich Roy Road Hearing Turns Into Blood-Letting

By PAT DUFOUR  
Times Staff

It was more of a harangue than a public hearing in Saanich Monday night when barely more than half of municipal council turned up to decide the fate of the municipality's largest housing project to date.

The public hearing was called to rezone about 37 acres of rural district land to permit construction of the 334-unit Roy Road housing project on crown land bounded by Carey, Interurban and Roy Roads.

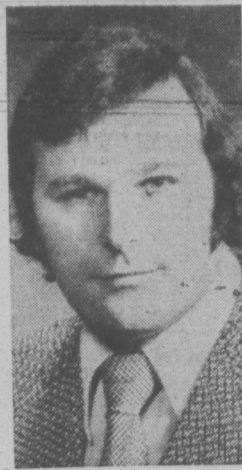
Saanich has been acquiring land for the project since the late 1960's, with a view to providing reasonably priced lots for homes.

Yet on Monday Mayor Ed Lum was on holiday, Ald. Joe Bourque was vacationing in Hawaii and two aldermen — Sandy Noel and Fred Severson — were absent through sickness.

The hearing was delayed 10 minutes until Ald. David Paterson arrived to make a quorum.

By the time things got under way, tempers of some members of the crowd in the council chamber had risen.

They were not so angry at the thought of having 82 homes and 252 multiple units



PATERSON  
... Not fair

placed in their area as they were at having a new complex built when their own properties are plagued with drainage, sewage and other service problems.

They fired questions at the five aldermen that, for the most part, remained unanswered because they were technical questions and two key municipal officials were

absent — municipal engineer Cliff Warren and municipal administrator Bill Tremayne.

"The bare-bone quorum, on the advice of acting mayor Ald. John McDonald, decided to shelve the issue until technical reports are available and more members of council could attend."

The action wasn't taken, however, before there was some verbal blood-letting by the irate taxpayers.

One woman raised Paterson's hackles when she persistently asked if aldermen had come to the hearing having already made up their minds what action they would take.

"I've been on council coming up for a year. I fail to realize why council is always on the stand," he retorted. "Asking questions, ridiculing us... I don't think it's fair. No, I haven't made up my mind. I don't have to sit here and have people snicker at me because I haven't made up my mind."

The provincial government's Dunhill Development Corporation has agreed to donate 36 acres of parkland from the 136-acre property, mainly the Panama Flats area, which is a wildlife sanctuary.

Mary Beaumont of 1160 Knibbs Place protested, "This

is floodland. We're not being given anything... It's just a juggle of words, you can't build on it anyway."

She and others pushed the need for storm drains. She said her road flooded often... "It's full of raw sewage. It just hangs there, stagnant, like a cesspool."

"Others faulted the proposal to straighten and deepen Colquitz Creek in order to provide better runoff for the housing project."

Dr. Bob Langford, a marine biology consultant for Saanich, asked whether altering the creek would pose problems for salmon travelling north to spawn said it would not "but in terms of human esthetics, that's a different question."

## Jubilee Fete Gains \$6,000

Sales totalled \$6,000 at a bazaar last week conducted by the Royal Jubilee Hospital auxiliary, spokeswoman Peggy Trenholme said today.

She said the 176 active members of the auxiliary who worked for months in preparation for the annual event want to thank those who attended and made it a success.

Proceeds from the bazaar go to the hospital for the benefit of patients

## Jail Study Ordered On Training

A County Court judge told two lawyers today to find out and tell him by Wednesday morning what trades training facilities are available in provincial jails.

Judge Leslie Cashman adjourned sentencing of 23-year-old Dennis Matthew Wilson, who pleaded guilty to unlaw-

ful confinement of two Wilkinson Road guards last Feb. 19, until 9:30 a.m. Wednesday.

"I want you to find out what training is available," he told defence counsel Mike Hutchison and assistant crown counsel Nick Lang.

The judge said Wilson has not received any trade training.

## College Enrolment Up

CAMPBELL RIVER — Enrolment is mounting steadily in the open college program being run by the North Island College.

Serving the Port Alberni, Courtenay and Campbell River areas, a student does not need to have finished Grade 12 to enrol, and can be lacking many of the prerequisite qualifications needed for a regular college or university.

"We are interested in what you can do, not in what you didn't do, and we are concerned about helping you improve your reading and writing skills if these are holding you back," say college spokesmen.

The "open college" is open to place and time.

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He said the college is open to new ideas and uses audiotapes, videotapes, records as well as books and printed material. These materials come from Athabasca University in Edmonton.

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## City Pupils Score High

Grade 4 pupils in school district 61 have scored consistently higher than the provincial average in a reading assessment test.

The result is "pleasing" but not "surprising" to area educators.

"I'm not surprised in the least," said Walt Kitley, president of the Greater Victoria Teachers' Association.

"You always hear that our teachers are well paid, and they are, but look at the results."

Last spring the provincial

government tested 34,656 Grade 4 pupils across the province as a pilot project of the learning assessment branch of the department of education.

Three general aspects of reading were tested—word identification, comprehension of prose and comprehension of functional materials.

In the breakdown of test results, the 1,638 District 61 pupils averaged between two and five per cent higher than the provincial average.

Vic Thomson, assistant su-

perintendent of schools curriculum said he is pleased with the results. "Two or three percentage points may not look significant, but it is when one considers the numbers tested."

Kitley said the results of a separate reading ability test also held in the spring showed Victorian students well ahead of the norm on that test's results.

Thomson confirmed this, saying the Grade 3 pupils tested had "very favorable" results.



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**BLOCK**  
**BB BROS.**

**WATERFRONT**  
A 4-acre cleared property offering expansive view of straits, Victoria and Olympic set back from the water. Attached covered porch on floor built to take advantage of the view. Attached covered porch on floor built to take advantage of the view. Attached covered porch on floor built to take advantage of the view.

**YOU WOULD LIKE THIS**  
Only 10 years old beautiful home in quiet Ketchikan and 500 ft. from the water. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**OPEN HOUSE**  
Wed. 2:00-4:00. SOMETHING SPECIAL. If you want a family home with room to move. A home that offers - finished main floor, work shop, laundry, built-in range, oven, stove, patio, large yard (one third acre), 4 bedrooms, affordable price. Call today to view.

**IN-LAW**  
On the Oak Bay peninsula in this 20 yr. old 3 bedroom home, bright air, complete with built-in D.W. and garburator, sundeck and large lawn. This is a highly desirable property.

**REDLIN**  
\$45,900. Sign on property. Older not too attractive from outside but inside a good city home. 3 bedrooms up and warm looking lot. Call today to view.

**2 BDRM UNIT** in the Tillamook and Burnside area. It is good accommodation for this area. Own storage, own lawn, good condition. Next to shopping area. Call today to view.

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**SPENCER CASTLE AREA**  
Duplex seaview. Very nicely renovated up and down duplex. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**SPRINGRIDGE AREA**  
Two duplexes. One rented up and down, the other rented up and down. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**CORDOVA BAY JEWEL**  
Are you looking for a beautiful home or apartment living? If so, then this is for you. A beautiful home or apartment living? If so, then this is for you.

**UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS**  
A well maintained 3 BR. home with 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**AN ARTIST'S SETTING**  
A perfect family home nestled among state-of-the-art landscaping. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**\$49,950 SOKKE**  
3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**9 ACRE SOKKE**  
Small home on treed property. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**\$44,500**  
The best bargain on the market. 3 bedrooms, living room, full bathroom, 3 bedrooms, living room, full bathroom.

**GORDON HEAD**  
Two family homes. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**CHRISTMAS PACKAGE**  
1 complete with 3 large BR. in warm colors and a great family room. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**HIDE AWAY**  
1.01 acres with over 200 ft. of waterfront. A unique rustic lot home built by the present owners. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**OCEAN VIEW LUXURY**  
This attractive view home offers two levels of superior living. Includes built-in breakfast nook, wrap around sundeck, 550,000. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**VENDOR SAYS "SELL!"**  
Sooke - \$53,900. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**NEW WATERFRONTS**  
A delightful 2 BDRM full bsmt home set upon a hill. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**WALK TO PARK OR SEA**  
Delightful 2 BDRM bungalow. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**SMALL HOLDING LOT**  
James Bay, \$18,000 asking price. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**SEAFRONT VIEW**  
Siden's finest view. Tom Thum cottage. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**\$54,900**  
New 1212 sq. ft. beautifully finished with old brick fireplace. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**\$125,000**  
Bungalow. 2 BR. sitting high on a hill with city views from sundeck. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**3.75 ACRES**  
Mini farm old farm house. Poles and pigs and cow or market garden in this rich valley. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**CUT EXPENSES**  
\$31,000. Buy darling condo 760 sq. ft. High view with large living room. All electric kitchen appliances. Security entrance in pool. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

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This sparkling new 1200 sq. ft. beauty will be hard to beat. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**CONDOMINIUM CLOSE-IN**  
2-bedroom corner suite located in the Quadra Hillside area. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**UNIVERSITY AREA**  
Luxurious 2 bedrooms, L.R. with fireplace, full bathroom, 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**TOWNHOUSE**  
Try low down payment. 3 bedrooms and unit located close to all conveniences. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**SOUTH FAIRFIELD ONLY \$59,900**  
This home is situated only a block away from Beach Hill Park and Dallas Road Beach. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**HOW ABOUT A TRADE**  
I have four new homes, ranging from 1200 to 1800 sq. ft. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**CADBORO BAY CLOSE TO UVC**  
SPACIOUS 3 BEDROOM RANCHER. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**BRAND NEW JOLLY PLACE**  
There are only 2 homes left in this new development. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**ESQUIMALT 3 BDRM STRATA DUPLEX \$45,900**  
Only 8 months old and still gleaming. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**NEW 3 BEDROOM OFFERS TO \$56,900**  
2nd MTGE. 834. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**GORDON HEAD 1732 KENMORE**  
Brand new 3 bedrooms. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**4 OR 5 BEDROOMS**  
Large living room, dining room with large raised hearth brick fireplace. 4 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**IN-LAW SUITE**  
In beautiful BRENTWOOD BAY. 1200 sq. ft. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**TUDOR \$86,900 COUNTRY**  
If you don't want to fall in love with this house and be charged with enthusiasm, don't read it. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**CORDOVA BAY URGENT!**  
Immediate possession can be had on this 1200 sq. ft. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**BY OWNER**  
Try \$20,000 down. 2 bedroom, no basement. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**1222 LANDS END**  
New waterfront home under construction. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**DISPERSED SALE**  
1655 Fifth St. best value on this 2 1/2 bedroom. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**CHAMPION REALTY LTD.**  
For Appraisals and Condo. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**BY OWNER, 3 BEDROOMS**  
New 1200 sq. ft. drive-in garage. 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

**BY OWNER, 3 YEAR OLD**  
2 bedroom, 1200 sq. ft. 2 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor, 3 BR., 2 1/2 baths, 12' x 12' main floor.

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# Housing Project Costs Misread

An auditor's report on a Port Hardy "public" housing subdivision has revealed the project cost almost a half-million dollars more than estimated.

The Cedar Heights subdivision, funded by the provincial housing department, cost \$494,482 more than the originally estimated cost of \$1.5 million.

After complaints from the Port Hardy municipal council, Housing Minister Hugh Curtis

commissioned the auditor's report on the project.

The report revealed that most of the overrun was the result of the greatly underestimated need for rock fill for the 132-lot development.

It had been estimated that the development would require only 9,500 cubic yards of fill. Final requirement was 46,607 cubic yards which cost an extra \$405,380.

In its report, the chartered accountant firm of Roberts,

Denson, Hill and Co. said Underwood McLellan was appointed consulting engineer on the project.

The project engineer with the department of housing recommended that a call for proposals be forwarded to Underwood McLellan and to a second and perhaps a third consulting engineer.

"We saw no evidence of submission from firms other than Underwood McLellan," the auditor's report said.

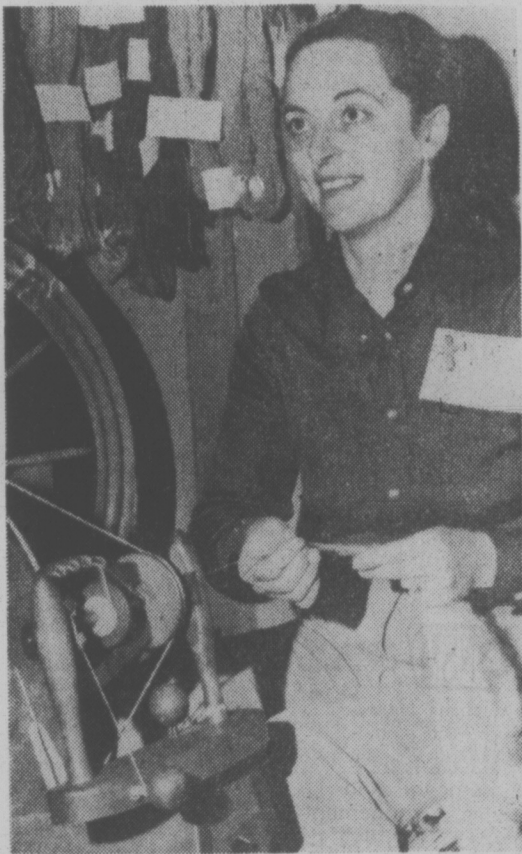
The report also says the auditors found no evidence that any of the contracts for the project were the subject of proper tendering procedures.

Curtis, asked today why none of the contracts had

been put to tender, said that was one aspect his department is now investigating.

He said he would study the report before making further comment.

Copies of the report have been forwarded to Port Hardy municipal council which will consider it at its meeting Wednesday night.



**SPINNING A YARN**, Hazel Murray, 3495 Upper Terrace, works at the wheel during Oak Bay United Church's annual hobby show on weekend. Show featured wide variety of arts and crafts, including demonstrations in spinning, weaving, fly-tying and stone tumbling. (Irving Strickland photo)

## Candidates Meeting

**DUNCAN** — An all-candidates meeting featuring city council hopefuls will be held in the Tzouhalem Hotel at noon Wednesday, sponsored by the Duncan-Cowichan Chamber of Commerce.

In North Cowichan, where eight candidates are contesting three vacant council seats, six meetings will be held.

They are:  
Chemainus — Nov. 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the Anglican

Church hall.

Maple Bay — Nov. 16 in the Maple Bay firehall at 8 p.m.

Westholme — Nov. 17 at 8 p.m. in the Indian School.

Southend — Nov. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria of the Cowichan senior high school.

The Ladysmith Rotary Club will hold an all-candidates meeting on Nov. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the senior high school.

In Cowichan School District 65 where seven candidates are seeking five seats, meetings will be held at the Cowichan senior high school tonight at 8 p.m. in the elementary school, Nov. 12, and the George Bonner junior high school, Nov. 18.

## Y Offers Course On Whales

A four-week course on whales is among a new series of leisure arts programs being held at the YM-YWCA this month.

The course will assist participants to know and identify the great whales and their smaller cousins, the porpoises and dolphins. It will start Nov. 17 at 7:30 p.m. Cost to Y members is \$5 and non-members \$7.

Another course on finance for women is for women who have difficulties managing their money and are interested in the do's and don'ts of basic financial management.

It will start on Monday, Nov. 15, at 7:30 p.m. and will last for three weeks.

Also starting on Monday at 7 p.m. is a course on understanding pop music. Commercial music, jazz, blues, rock and two special presentations on the function of lyrics and the impact of the Beatles will be discussed in this program.

It's an eight-week course and is being offered to Y members for \$8 and non-members for \$18.

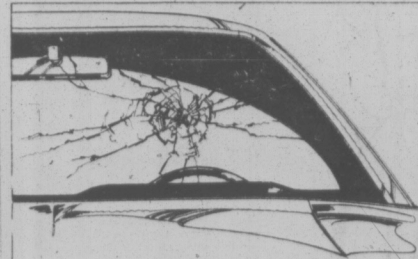
## Hydro Talks Stepped Up

**MONTREAL (CP)** — With the Quebec election a week away, Premier Robert Bourassa cancelled several campaign appearances late Monday in an all-out effort to end an eight-day strike by 9,500 Hydro-Quebec workers.

Bourassa, accompanied by Natural Resources Minister Jean Coutu, met with management and union officials until early today. Reporters were told to go home.

The talks were focussing on a back-to-work protocol — the key stumbling block to settlement of the 10-month contract dispute.

The meeting was the first between union and management officials since the province-wide strike began Oct. 29, leading to a rash of power failures.



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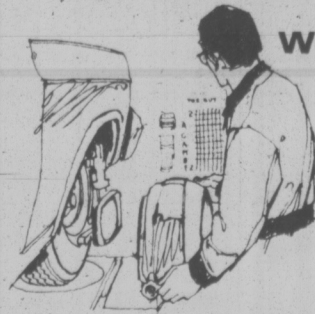
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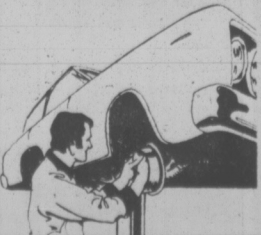
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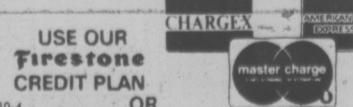
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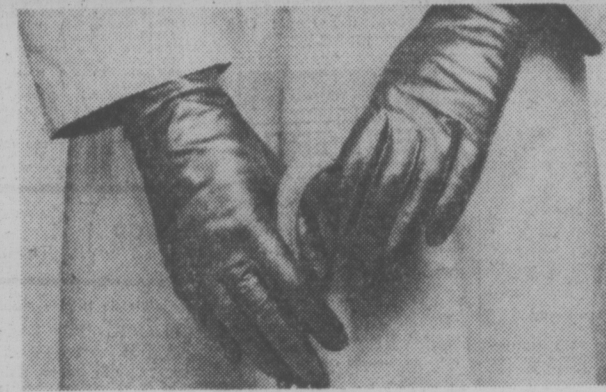
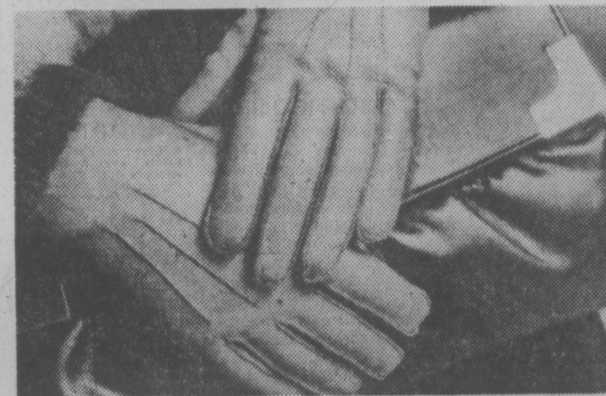
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## Ceramics Expert At Art Gallery

An opportunity for serious collectors of Asian ceramics to have "problem pieces" examined and discussed by an internationally renowned scholar is being offered by the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria on Saturday at 3 p.m.

Mary Tregear is a Fellow at St. Cross College, Oxford, and is in charge of the Chinese Collection at the Ashmolean Museum there. She was born in China and returned there for advanced studies after completion of her formal education in England. She is fluent in Chinese and Japanese and is responsible for a growing revolution in the art historical approach to Asian ceramics.

Between her duties at Oxford, Tregear travels widely to international conferences in her field and has several times been invited to conduct extended research tours for the Tokyo National Museum and museums in the People's Republic of China.

She is in Victoria for two weeks to catalogue the Asian ceramics in the permanent collection of the gallery.

Three lectures were on her agenda — one already given at UVic, a noon-hour lecture Wednesday at University of B.C. and Saturday's workshop here for which she will use items from the gallery's collection.

Admission is free to gallery members, 50 cents to others.



## Mars Soil Still a Puzzle

WASHINGTON (WP) — Martian soil samples dug two weeks ago by the Viking 1 and Viking 2 spacecraft have given the same ambiguous signs of life that the five soil samples before them gave.

A fourth soil sample dug by Viking 1 and analyzed by an instrument that looks for photosynthesis sent back a strong response that was remarkably similar to the one it reported last July when the first soil sample was dug on Mars. At that time, the photosynthesis instrument got a signal six times as strong as it would have seen if nothing in the soil was using light to reproduce itself.

But a similar instrument analyzed the soil dug from under a rock by Viking 2 and sent back a very weak response, suggesting that little or no photosynthesis was going on at all under the rock. This could mean that the organisms, if any, under the

### VIKINGS REST

PASADENA, Calif. (Reuter) — The radio transmitters on the two Viking spacecraft were turned off Monday after months of activity on Mars as the planet moved behind the sun. The

blackout will last until mid-December. The pause in transmissions comes at a time when scientists are still puzzled whether the signals show forms of life could exist on the planet.

the soil to 120 degrees instead of 68 degrees to distinguish if life or an exotic chemistry were at work in the Martian soil.

What Levin saw in the soil under the rock was a sharp upward response when the heated soil was fed a mixture of amino acids, then a sharp drop. The soil sample showed this response three straight times over three straight days, then showed lesser upward peaks and downturns for five more days.

"This makes chemistry a very difficult explanation," Levin said. "I think it's safe to say that a chemical reaction is going to behave the same at 120 degrees and at 68 degrees and isn't going to go like this, in fits and spurts."

Levin analyzed the soil from under the rock under different conditions than he analyzed the five soil samples he had taken before. He ordered his instrument to heat

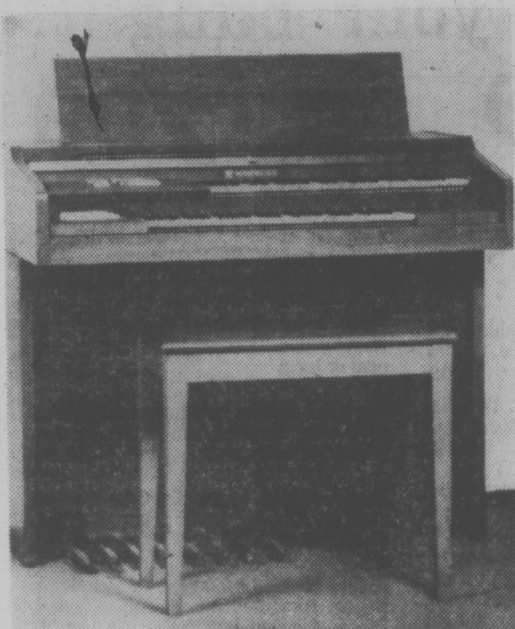
rock don't use light to reproduce.

To befuddle things still further, the instrument on Viking 2 that looks for metabolism discovered a metabolic-like response in the soil dug from under the rock that was 10 times stronger than it would have found if there were no microorganisms growing in the soil.

The prospect that we see

biology at work here remains," said Viking scientist Gilbert Levin, who designed the instrument that searches for metabolism. "The prospect that what we see here is chemistry diminishes."

What's more, the upward peaks, in the heated soil were about 70 per cent weaker than they would be in unheated soils if microorganisms were at work in the soil.



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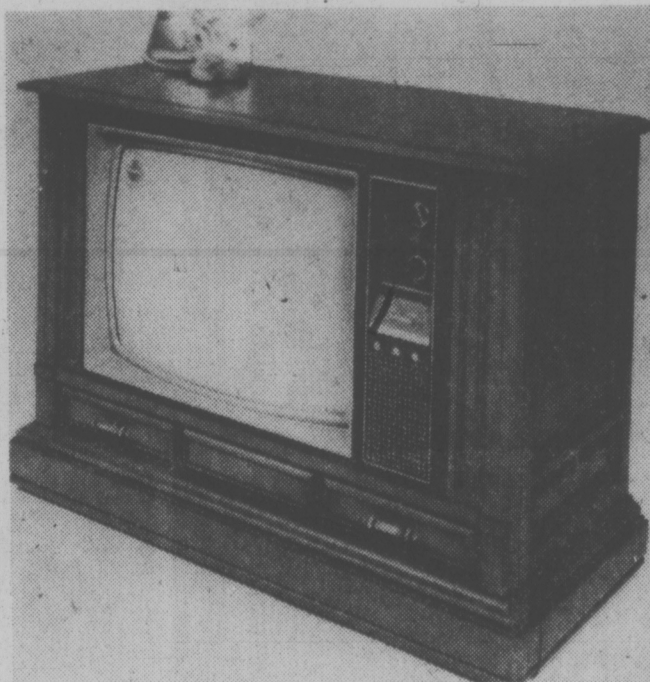
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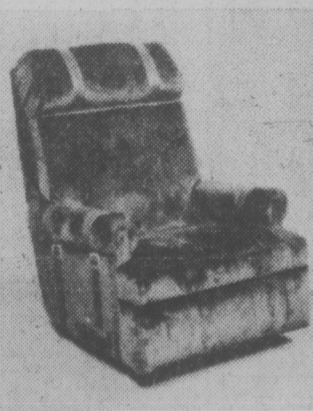
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## B.C. Indians Eye U.S. Land

VANCOUVER (CP) — After the Nishga Tribe settles land claims in northwestern British Columbia with the provincial and federal governments, it will take a claim for about 1,000 square miles to the United States government, tribal spokesman James Gosnell said Monday.

Gosnell, president of the Nishga tribal council, said in a telephone interview from Alamy, B.C., that the land being claimed is on the southern tip of the Alaska panhandle.

"We've kept quiet about it because we can only fight one battle at a time," said Gosnell.

He said the Nishga's panhandle claim predates the drawing of the Alaska boundary in the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825, 42 years before the United States purchased Alaska from Czarist Russia.

Don Rosenbloom, a Vancouver lawyer representing

the Nishga in land claim negotiations in Canada, said discussions about the panhandle claim would be with the United States department of the interior "when the Nishga tribal council decides to proceed with these negotiations." He said any such land settlement would have to be ratified by an act of the U.S. Congress.

Delegates representing 2,200 Nishga people during the weekend authorized the tribal council to present a map setting out claims for 5,250 square miles of B.C.'s Nass River Valley to federal and provincial negotiators.

"Once we present it (the map) ... we will be prepared to defend every square inch of it," said Gosnell.

"Among other things, we want guarantees that the Nishga will reap the benefits from the mineral, forestry and fishing resources of our land," said Gosnell.

## STRIKE VOTED AT YARROWS

Shipyard workers at Burrard Dry Dock Ltd. in Vancouver and Yarrows Ltd. in Victoria have voted 60 per cent to go out on strike to back contract proposals.

The ballots were counted today following a strike vote at Burrard on Friday and one at Yarrows on Monday.

Jim McAvoy, president of the Joint Shipyard's Conference which represents the 24 unions involved, said there will be another meeting with management before strike notice is served.

## 15-YEAR HIGH FOR CANADA

# Unemployment Soars But B.C. Bucks Trend



DIGGING DEEP, Danny Lewis, 7, of Creemore, Ont., looks for the family car buried beneath 51 centimetres (20 inches) of snow that blanketed the Barrie area. Collingwood and London were also hit.

Times News Services

OTTAWA — The national unemployment rate for October hit 7.6 per cent, the highest seasonally-adjusted rate since 1961, but in British Columbia the jobless rate dropped substantially, Statistics Canada reported today.

A total of 81,000 people were unemployed in B.C. in October, compared with 88,000 in September — a decline of 1.2 per cent to an adjusted rate of 7.3 per cent.

One year ago, there were 96,000 unemployed in B.C. At the same time, the labor force increased from 1,107,000, a year ago to 1,145,000 in September and 1,146,000 in October.

Nationally, although the 679,000 unemployed were less than 800,000 recorded earlier this year, after figures are adjusted for seasonal changes in the work force they reflect a worsening unemployment trend.

This year's previously high jobless rate was 7.4 per cent last April. A Statistics Canada spokesman said the October figure was the highest since the agency revised its statistical methods last year and was the highest at least back through the early 1960s.

In September, there were 670,000 unemployed and the seasonally-adjusted jobless rate was 7.3 per cent. In October, 1975, there were 643,000 unemployed and the rate was 7.1 per cent.

The actual jobless rate in October was 6.6 per cent, compared with 6.5 per cent in September.

The government agency said all provinces with the exception of British Columbia, Newfoundland and Alberta showed increases in their unemployment rates.

Statistics Canada said large increases in the number of men without work contributed to the rise in unemployment.

For men aged 15 to 24 the jobless rate rose by two per cent to 13.3 per cent while for men 25 years and older the rate climbed by six per cent to 10.4 per cent.

Jobless rates of other provinces, with September figures in brackets, are: Newfoundland 12.9 (14.4), P.E.I. 11.7 (9.5), Nova Scotia 10.9 (10.4), New Brunswick 11.8 (11.4), Quebec 10.1 (9.7), Ontario 6.3 (5.7), Manitoba 4.9 (4.6), Saskatchewan 4.2 (3.7), Alberta 3.7 (3.7).

## ★ Victoria Outlook 'Grim'

The official unemployment figures are down in Victoria and across British Columbia but the job picture is still grim, Canada Manpower officials said today.

The official unemployment rate for Victoria in October was 6.8 per cent, down from 7.8 per cent in September. It was the first time the jobless rate for Victoria has been published.

Across B.C. the official rate is down to 7.3 per cent from 8.5 per cent, a drop that Canada Manpower officials attribute to a combination of good weather and an exodus of workers.

"The unemployment rate will jump sharply again in November if the weather turns cold," Canada Manpower regional manager Stan Purdy said today.

"A cold spell will bring a halt to many construction projects and will produce layoffs in the forest industry."

There were 7,000 people listed as unemployed in the Victoria area during October, down from 7,800 in September.

But during the 30-day period the number of people working actually declined. What happened was more than 1,000 unemployed stopped looking for jobs.

A few of these people moved to Alberta or other B.C. areas looking for employment. Most of the 1,000, however, were university students.

See VICTORIA Page 2

## Pen OK'd On Farm Reserve

The new B.C. Land Commission has overturned a decision of the old commission and will allow the federal government to build a maximum security penitentiary on agricultural land near Lillooet.

Commission chairman Gary Runka, said he believes the same decision would have been made by the old commission and the reversal has nothing to do with the purge of the commission by the Social Credit government.

Environment Minister Jim Nielsen fired five of the six NDP-appointed commissioners Oct. 6, leaving Runka the only commissioner to escape the purge. Served appointees were then named to the commission.

On the same day the commissioners received their dismissal letters, the commission had ruled against a federal government application to remove about 80 acres from the Agricultural Land Reserve near Lillooet for the construction of a maximum security penitentiary.

Runka said today the original decision had "shocked" the federal government and it then came forward with new information on alternative sites and a scaled-down proposal which "the earlier commission had no advance information on."

"We were not aware they were willing to reduce the size of the proposal," Runka said.

The entire commission last Thursday travelled to Lillooet and looked at the proposed and alternative sites and on Friday decided the penitentiary could be built on a 40-acre site.

Runka said the 40 acres will remain in the Agricultural Land Reserve, which allows the commission to retain some control as construction proceeds.

Runka said the policy of reconsidering applications when new information is brought forward was made by the previous commission and was adopted by the Social Credit-appointed commission.

He said he couldn't say for sure whether the old commission would have overturned the original decision, but said he is certain they would have reconsidered the application.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### \$1.2M Settlement

TORONTO (CP) — The federal government has agreed to pay \$1.2 million to the widow and children of Max Buehler of Oakville, a real estate executive who died in an air crash near Frobisher Bay in 1974.

### Smokey Passes On

WASHINGTON (AP) — The original Smokey Bear, for 25 years a living symbol of forest fire prevention, died today at the National Zoo and presumably went to what Congress once referred to as "that great honey tree in the sky." Smokey retired in May 1975, and was replaced by another, younger Smokey. Both bears were housed at the National Zoo.

### A Rich Haul

BRANDON (CP) — Thieves may have roused more pursuit than they bargained for here during the weekend when they stole nine fur coats — belonging to the wives of such dignitaries as Manitoba Lieutenant-Governor F. L. Jobin, Brandon Mayor Elwood Gorrle, Brandon police chief Dave McNamee and RCMP division superintendent J. R. Orley.

### Inmates Drinking

KINGSTON, Ont. (CP) — Sixty-eight Millhaven Institution prisoners, who haven't eaten solids since they began a hunger strike Friday, now are drinking liquids, says Stanley Scruton, acting prison director.

## Used Car Warranty Proposed by BCAA

## CUBAN FISHING BOATS FORCED INTO HALIFAX

HALIFAX (CP) — Three Cuban vessels were forced into port here Monday by fisheries officers and destroyers and likely will face charges today of trespassing within Canada's 12-mile fishing limit.

The trawlers Playa Giron and Playa Colorado and their mother ship Oceano Antartico, manned by crews of Spanish-speaking Cubans and some Russians, are alleged to have been spotted on radar about 2,600 yards inside the limit.

The perimeters of the fishing zone take into account certain headlines on the coast. Canadian authorities said the Cubans denied they were within the zone.

They ignored initial instructions to proceed to Halifax, possibly due to language difficulties, and indicated they were awaiting instructions from Cuba, a fisheries official said.

An ultimatum was delivered that armed boarding parties would be sent to the ships and two of them then apparently decided to comply. However, the Playa Colorado turned for the open sea and the Canadian destroyer Iroquois was sent after her.

## Northern Ferry Studied

VANCOUVER (CP) — The B.C. Ferries Corporation, which assumes control of the B.C. Ferries fleet Jan. 1, will consider a new route between Tsawwassen and Kitimat, Transport Minister Jack Davis said Monday.

Davis said this route has been under study by the government's transportation experts to see if there is sufficient demand. He said corporation directors may be

able to make a decision about the route within three to six months.

The minister said the service might be useful in view of a possible pipeline taking Alaskan oil to Edmonton from Kitimat, and added that the highways ministry already is upgrading the logging road north of Hazelton, to permit better access to the Stewart-Cassiar road and the Alaska Highway.

If a new north-coastal route is approved a new vessel

would probably be required, costing between \$7 million and \$18 million depending on route and traffic requirements, he said. It would mainly accommodate trucks and trailers although cars would be permitted, and it would turn around every 24 hours.

Davis also reiterated that the corporation will consider reducing foot passenger fares, with lower rates in the winter and perhaps during off-period days in the week.

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Should he fail to be cooperative, the public servant is instructed to describe the caller's identifying characteristics starting with sex and estimated age.

The form doesn't say why the caller shouldn't be asked that directly.

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The form also contains evacuation guidelines — including "keep cool."

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## Bomb Threat? Simply Fill Out a Form

By IAIN HUNTER

Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — Nothing, not even a bomb threat, will deter the Ottawa bureaucrat from filling in forms.

The anonymous announcement over the phone that a bomb has been placed in the building would send the ordinary office worker in some distress into the street.

Not so the steadfast public servant.

He has been instructed to

turn to the appropriate form, pen and-or pencil at the ready.

Only after the form has been filled out is he permitted to gather up his leftover lunch bag and leave the building.

The orange form, entitled "Bomb threat telephone procedures" is being distributed to all government departments by the Canadian Bomb Data Centre which comes under the Protective Policing Division of the RCMP.

The first instruction to the

civil servant receiving a bomb threat is fairly straightforward: "Listen," the form advises.

It also directs the listener to be calm and courteous, not to interrupt the caller, yet obtain as much information as possible, and copy out the exact wording of the threat.

While the presumed bomber is on the line, laid out procedures for tracing the call and notifying superior authorities by prearranged signal are to be followed.

"Hey, Madge, there's some nut on the line threatening to blow the place up," apparently won't do.

The bomber is obviously expected to be co-operative after such courteous and attentive treatment from the civil servant.

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## HOW NOW, COSTLY COW?

OAKVILLE, Ont. (CP) — A syndicate of four United States and Canadian farmers has bought a three-year-old cow for \$235,000 — believed to be the highest price paid for a Holstein cow.

The price for Hanover Hill Barb topped the previous record of \$200,000 paid in May for Bononiale Reflectione Cristie. Both cows were owned by dairy farmer Claude Pickett of nearby Hornby, Ont.

## Oil Companies' Profits \$8.6B

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The oil industry reported profits for its top 25 companies totalled almost \$8.6 billion during the first nine months of 1976, up 17 per cent from last year's levels.

A report from the American Petroleum Institute said, however, the industry's \$3 billion profits for the third-quarter of this year rose only 9 per cent from the same period in 1975. It said third-quarter profits for U.S. industry in general grew more than twice as fast.







# Let It Happen! They're Set

## Specialists Only on New Emergency Team

By AB KENT  
Times Staff

A used bread van and eight specially trained Victoria and Saanich policemen are adding a new tactical dimension to police work in Greater Victoria.

The emergency response team is the second organized in B.C., following Vancouver, and has been set up to deal

with unusual situations with techniques borrowed from the military.

Members are issued special equipment like bulletproof jackets and tear gas canisters, and the team will operate from a converted van holding racks of weapons, radios and rescue gear.

Chief John Gregory of Victoria city police said the ERT

is strictly a "be prepared operation" and should not be compared to the "SWAT" — strategic weapons and tactics team — portrayed on television.

But the resemblance is there. The four Victoria and four Saanich policemen who volunteered for the extra training and potentially more hazardous duties will wear service boots, coveralls and peaked golf-type cap.

If required, they may also wear steel helmets and carry rifles.

The Victoria team finished its three weeks of police college training two weeks ago.

Like all policemen, the team's first duty is to protect life. At the same time, they are trained to react quickly and employ support equipment not available to regular patrolmen.

Faced with stalking an armed person shooting from behind a barricade or holding a hostage, they may have to draw a pistol and shoot it with a high degree of accuracy.

One member of the team is an anti-sniper specialist, a marksman with a rifle; another is primarily an observer, a third is a scout and a fourth acts as rear guard. The first man is team leader, and like the others, he is also trained in alternative roles.

Each man carries a small portable radio worth \$1,500 to keep him in constant contact with his teammates and the police inspector responsible for calling the ERT into play.

The inspector is the field commander of any emer-



CHIEF GREGORY  
... SWAT, it isn't

gency operation and he too has had special training.

In all, the B.C. Police Commission has spent about \$65,000 on the truck and its fittings.

The vehicle is kept downtown and is available to respond anywhere on southern Vancouver Island with police in the area requesting it, responsible for command.

Gregory said as few as four men at a time could form an ERT, with others placed on alert. Some of the eight would be on standby to cover during illness or vacation to make sure at least four will be on duty on a call.

The chief said there had been several instances in recent years when an ERT

team would have been useful in Victoria — two of them involving a dangerous prisoner who escaped custody and took a hostage.

Rescue gear carried in the van includes mountaineering tackle for climbing.

There are also fire extinguishers, first aid gear, smoke grenades, shotguns and ammunition.

The truck itself is painted dark blue, bears small white letters denoting POLICE ERT and has a siren and flashing red and blue lights. It is not designed as a pursuit vehicle, but rather as a command post.

Policemen responding to an emergency call will leave their normal duties as members of the uniform or detective branches and proceed to a designated site where they will meet the van and their teammates.

The Victoria police department asked for volunteers last April — including women — and got 11 responses, all from men.

Four applicants were selected to take extra training after passing strict psychological and physical tests.

Each volunteer must have the permission of his spouse to participate in the team, be preferably between 25 and 31 years of age, able to run 1½ miles in 10 minutes or less, throw a 14-pound ball 25 feet or more, cover at least seven feet in a standing broad jump, climb a rope using hands only for at least 15 feet, do a series of pushups, chinups and sit-ups, and swim 50 metres in at least 45 seconds.



—Bill Halkett photo

Team member and \$65,000 unit

Eyesight must be good without the aid of glasses.

Finally — reflecting a growing concern — the candidate must either be a non-smoker or prove that smoking does not impair his physical performance.

Besides the initial training, an ERT member must put in two days a month in field training and spend two hours a week on rifle target shooting.

Four Victoria inspectors

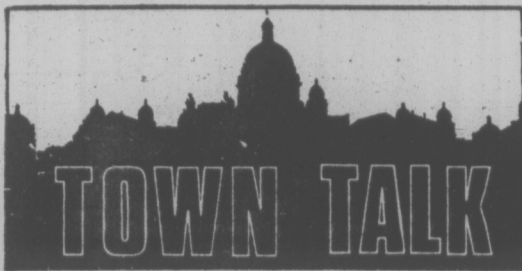
have had extra training as field commanders, plus one from Saanich which has also trained a staff sergeant and deputy chief for this role. They are not part of the ERT but are fully responsible for directing it.

In an operation involving a hostage, for example, police would first confirm the situation through regular routines, probably working through a

negotiator, and the duty inspector would be on the scene to decide whether to call out the ERT.

He then would make decisions based on information from the negotiator, who would be the only contact with the abductor, Gregory said.

But each situation will have different characteristics. "There are no guidelines. You do what you have to do at the time," he said.



There was something of the Roman circus about Goldstream Park over the weekend as a great mob turned out to see the annual salmon spawning run in the little river.

Ladies in furs were there, families with their dog, young couples with long hair. Cars jammed the parking lot and lined the highway. Hotdogs and coffee were sold from a trailer and the scent of mustard and relish filled the air.

Meanwhile, in ludicrous contrast to this holiday crowd strolling about, the salmon, tattered and blotched, thrashed the last of their lives away on their nesting grounds.

"That's Victoria," said one cynical observer, "they really turn out for any special occasion — provided it's free."

B.C. Hydro chairman Robert Bonner expects the 19 cent bus fare increase to bring in an additional \$13.2 million over the next 12 months.

Hmmmm. That's 132 million dimes. It's 11 million passengers a month, or 366,666 per day, and that's only in Victoria and the Lower Mainland and excludes children, students and pensioners.

So how much the transit system loses so much money if it is used by so many people?

President-elect Jimmy Carter is on his way to Victoria and should be here in about a month, looking somewhat of a dummy.

But no official welcoming ceremonies are planned because this V.I.P. in only a waxen facsimile, destined for the Royal London Wax Museum where he will replace the serious-faced Gerald Ford.

A museum spokesman said today the Carter effigy was ordered from the famous Josephine Tussaud's establishment in London, England. She wasn't sure when the order went in, but thought it was "already placed before the election."

Town Talk's informant only laughed when asked whether Carter will be munching peanuts and ogling a copy of Playboy magazine.

Wonder how many more millions were added Sunday and Monday nights to the numbers of movie fans who have seen the 1935 American masterpiece, Gone With The Wind, which CTV ran in two segments.

For many years GWTW was the longest film ever made in the Western Hemisphere and its astronomical box office receipts continue to come in with periodic showings over its 37-year history.

But the world record for longest movie was set in Japan in 1961 with the film, The Human Condition, which ran eight hours, 50 minutes.

Provincial court prosecutor Armand Petronio thinks it's a bit much, to say the least.

Petronio put down his raincoat on a front-row bench in court Monday and went to work.

But at noon, no coat. Somebody had swiped it.

Grumbled Petronio: "An umbrella I could excuse ... people just help themselves, but a coat ... that's something else."

Petronio admits he might personally prosecute if the culprit is caught.

Thursday's a day to remember for kids.

They'll be able to see a special showing of Hey There ... It's Yogi Bear at the Fox Cinema, all for the admission price of one usable toy. Doors open at 10:30 a.m. with the show starting at 11:15.

The toys will be sent to William Head federal prison where inmates will sort and where necessary repaint for distribution as gifts to children at an inmate party next month.

The project is sponsored by the John Howard Society of Victoria.

Non-movie goers may contribute to the cause by placing toys in barrels in Hillsdale, Mayfair and Commerce malls (Douglas and View) beginning Nov. 12. Home pickups may also be arranged by calling 386-3423.

Sidney mayor Peter Malcolm is wondering "if we'll have to go through the whole bloody nightmare" once again with newly-appointed Recreation Minister Sam Bawlf.

He's referring to the tiresome business of trying to get action on the North Saanich and Sidney application for a \$616,000 grant for the new peninsula recreation centre.

Malcolm and Mayor Paul Grieve thought they'd made progress with former minister Grace McCarthy. At least she hadn't said no.

What about it, Sam?

Dallas Road waterwatchers were intrigued Monday by the sight of vessels between Brothie Ledge and Clover Point manipulating with what looked like the long-sought Caddor-saurus monster.

Ministry of transport's district manager Larry Slaght explains the exercise was one of about four planned to make crews conversant with techniques used in clearing up oil pollution.

MoT's Sir James Douglas and two smaller vessels were working with a Vikoma boom, which on the surface looks like a wriggling monster. The boom, which MoT acquired a year ago, is superior to the conventional type because it has better stability on turbulent waters.

Victoria continues to get more than its share of honors in the real estate field.

Pip Holmes of Victoria is president of the International Real Estate Federation and a past president of the Canadian Real Estate Association. Eric Charman is president of the B.C. Real Estate Board.

In addition, Norman Ross of Victoria has been elected senior vice president of the Canadian Real Estate Association and John Thomson, president of the Victoria Real Estate Board, has been named B.C. chairman of education for real estate salesmen.

This week the Canadian Real Estate Association began naming the six salesmen who will be directors to the national board. First appointment went to Jim Tyler of Victoria.

## PLANES PRESS SEARCH

The search intensified today for the Victoria Flying Services Cessna 172 missing Sunday with four Saanich residents on a flight from Kelowna to Victoria.

Eight volunteer civilian aircraft from the Provincial Emergency Program have joined the search. Also in the air was a Canadian armed forces Tracker and a Labrador helicopter from CFB Comox.

Another Labrador and two Buffalo aircraft, grounded by fog in Prince George after another aerial search, were assigned to look for the aircraft.

One of the Buffalos was checking out a beacon signal reported in the Fraser Valley area while the other was transporting searchmaster Major Leslie (Ozzie) Osborne from Comox to Abbotsford where a search headquarters is to be established.

The missing plane was last reported about 5 p.m. Sunday five miles northeast of Abbotsford.

Missing are pilot Joseph Marton, 44, of 1611 Kisher Avenue, and his two sons, Ian, 11 and Robert, 14, and Gordon Wilson, 26, of 941 Dunn Avenue.



TO HANG or not to hang seems to be the question, but really it was just a matter of roping up a little repair work at The Bay on Monday. (Max Low photo)

## 50 Still Won't Pay Hospital Strike Levy

There are 50 members of the Hospital Employees Union — including 10 from the Gorge Road Hospital — still refusing to help cover the costs of rotating strikes last spring.

The union set Nov. 1 as a deadline for union members who did not take part in rotating strikes last May to sign a new membership card authorizing a deduction of one day's pay.

Those who failed to meet that deadline would be docked two day's pay and if they still remained obstinate the union held out the possibility that they would be expelled from the union.

Union secretary Jack Gerow said today all the fuss created about the possible dismissal of hospital employees is "a tempest in a teapot."

He said the union is a long way from the final step of dismissing the 10 recalcitrant members at the Gorge.

He said executive members will meet with those refusing to pay and seek their reasons

any sort of defence fund. However, at the union's convention last month delegates voted to set up a \$1 million strike fund because it appeared they were in for some stormy negotiations in years to come.

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Council wants to reserve that as an option, but also to consider proposal calls to developers and applications from housing co-operatives, he said.

But Krieger and Nelson say the trouble with this non-committal stance is that area residents have no assurances as to the type of housing development they will eventually get.

Nelson pointed out that in the survey, residents gave their first choice as single-family dwellings and their second as duplexes.

For this reason, the Fernwood Community Non-Profit Housing Society wants to use NIP cash to buy up large, older homes and convert them into reasonably-priced accommodation for persons and families on low incomes.

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## Springridge Asks Chance On Housing

By PAUL MOSS  
Times Staff

Members of the Springridge Neighborhood Improvement Program committee today urged Victoria city council to give the community at least a chance to show what it can do in administering its own housing program with NIP funds.

"All we ask is that council give us one year to try this program and see how much we can achieve in that time," said Richard Krieger, Springridge NIP committee chairman.

Krieger said in an interview that 1,300 of the 1,600 area residents recently surveyed on NIP priorities supported the concept of housing development being undertaken by a neighborhood-based non-profit housing society.

Yet city council seems to be either opposed to that principle or at least reluctant to make any commitments under the program planning stage, he said.

"I suppose they see a non-profit housing society as a sort of political base and they want to retain absolute control (over allocation of NIP money)," he added.

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## Election Meeting Lineup

The Crystal Pool Users' Association will sponsor an all-candidates' meeting at 7:30 tonight at the Crystal Pool, 2275 Quadra.

Two other public meetings are scheduled for Victoria aldermanic candidates in the Nov. 20 election.

The Fairfield Community Association will sponsor one Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Fairfield United Church Hall, and the

Communities United for Action will hold one at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 17 in St. John's Anglican Church.

There are two more all-candidates' meetings scheduled for the 10 aldermanic candidates in Saanich.

The Royal Oak and District Ratepayers' Association and the Northridge Community Association will co-sponsor a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 17 in

Holland House, 733 Vanalman. On Nov. 18 at 8 p.m. there will be a meeting in the Gordon Head United Church under the sponsorship of the Gordon Head and District Ratepayers' Association.

An Oak Bay all-candidates meeting will be held next Tuesday, Nov. 16, at 8 p.m. in the municipal hall.

The meeting is sponsored by the Association of Women Electors.

No all-candidates' meetings have been arranged for Esquimalt candidates although they will appear on a series of programs to be held on Channel 10 under the sponsorship of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The television dates are: Nov. 16 at 9 p.m. — Esquimalt; Nov. 17 at 9 p.m. — Oak Bay; Nov. 18 at 7 p.m. — Victoria; Nov. 18 at 8 p.m. — Saanich.







## 3 INCUMBENTS FACE OPPOSITION

A 33-year-old toolmaker has sparked a footrace for three Esquimalt aldermanic seats in the Nov. 20 municipal election.

Barry Gilbert of 850 Phoenix decided to make a contest for the three incumbents seeking re-election.

"I don't think any group should get in by acclamation," he said in an interview. "They should have some challenge at the polls."

So the gun has sounded and the race is on with Gilbert up against a 10-year man, one who has served for four years as an alderman and another looking for his second term in office.

They are Art Mebs, 57, of 451 Lampson, seeking to add to his 10-year record; Jim McEvay, 54, of 401 Treebank Road, seeking his third term; and Larry Mann, 55, of 1019 Arcadia.

There doesn't appear to be any single burning issue in the campaign although one plank of concern in most of the candidates' platforms is an improvement in the transportation facilities.

Mebs, a fire prevention officer at HMC Dockyard, says it is time to develop a regional transportation system.

He says Esquimalt should not be forced to accept the adverse effects of growth outside the municipality and so alternative routes between Langford-Colwood and the Victoria area should be found.

McEvay, owner-manager of Nu-Way Cleaners Ltd., says

he is interested in encouraging the development of clean, light industry in Esquimalt's industrial zone to broaden the tax base. He is also keen on working towards completion of the community's projects in the Neighborhood Improvement Program.

Mann, a consultant with the department of health, supports more senior citizen housing, removal of the oil storage tanks from Esquimalt, the acquisition of waterfront lands and creation of bicycle paths.

Gilbert, running for the first time, wants municipalities to have a greater share of provincial resource money to ease the burden on taxpayers.

He would also like to see the construction of a public safety building, an alternative sewage system and a feasibility study into a dial-a-bus scheme.

## Six Trying for Four Oak Bay Seats

Oak Bay residents passed up the municipal election last year when no one challenged the incumbents.

But this year, six candidates — three of them incumbents — are seeking the four aldermanic vacancies. Mayor Brian Smith is in the middle of his two-year term.

Three three-year vacancies are being sought by incumbents Shirley Dowell, John Gault and Doug Watts and newcomer Jacqueline Sellgren.

Gault, of 1605 York Place, is chairman of the zoning committee and has been on council for six years.

His platform favors a fairer share for municipalities of the total tax pie and greater efficiency in the operation of Oak Bay.

Watts, of 2285 Woodlawn, is chairman of works committee and has served 16 years on council.

He says there is a need for financial restraint after last year's "staggering" increase in taxes, even though a large part of it was due to schools. He advocates maximum efficiency by streamlining municipal operations and a "very careful" attitude on expenditures.

Dowell, of 3080 Midland, is chairman of parks and recreation committee and has served on council for six years.

She says she will continue the fight to preserve Oak Bay by voting against spot zoning, no high-rises and a 45-foot limit on apartment heights, insist on concrete construction for apartments and 150 per cent parking and "hold the line on taxes" for 1977 and 1978.

She is also the sole candidate for director on the Capital Regional District.

Sellgren, of 1587 Hampshire, moved to Oak Bay with her

husband from Toronto 18 months ago.

She is running on an environmental platform, opposing high-rises and favoring public transit over the private car.

Two candidates are seeking the one-year aldermanic vacancy on council, created by the resignation of Ald. Doug McLelland.

John Buckley, of 470 Oliver, is a retired senior administrator in the provincial government.

One of his particular concerns is sewage disposal expenditures which he describes as "millions of dollars on

what can only be considered another patch on a system which should have been done away with before the turn of the century."

Neil Swinson, of 1823 Beach, is a professor of political science at the University of Victoria.

He favors a "very careful" approach to rezoning so that Oak Bay can maintain its attractive residential character and believes this is the time for "real economy, real scrutiny" in municipal expenditures.

## SEARCHES UP

There were 3,186 air-sea rescue searches launched to date compared with 2,671 for the corresponding period last year, a Search and Rescue spokesman said Monday.

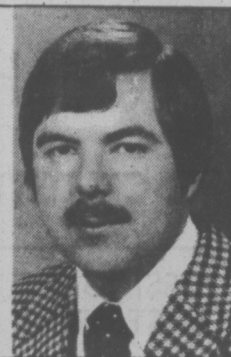
Greatest increase was marine operations, with 2,177 compared with 1,916 last year. The spokesman said about 97 per cent of the air rescue operations have been successful.

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## Islanders Aid Sick Boy

Residents of Salt Spring Island are raising funds to help pay for cancer treatments for an 11-year-old island boy.

Mel Topping, one of the fund organizers, said Monday \$6,000 had been raised up to Saturday when island residents held a card-playing blitz.

The boy, Ricky Andrews, is undergoing radiation and drug treatment at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., in efforts to save his right arm.

Topping isn't sure how much was raised in the poker and black-jack played Saturday, but he said island school children, service clubs and the local red and gun club all have contributed to the fund.

Dennis Andrews, the boy's father, said the family already has spent \$4,000 in travelling expenses and he does not know how much his son's treatments will cost.

A specialist has diagnosed bone cancer in Ricky's arm.

Since Ricky went to the clinic in September, island residents have held dances, fashion shows and a skeet shoot to help the family with the cost of treatment.

Andrews said 13 specialists at Mayo are working on his son who has been taking treatment like a trooper.

"They told him outright he could die, and they told him they might have to take his arm," he said. "But Ricky was just tremendous. He faces the fact that if it's got to be, it's got to be."

## Gulf Oil Lashes Commission

VANCOUVER (CP) — Gulf Oil Canada Ltd. lashed out Monday at a B.C. Energy Commission report on gasoline retailing, claiming the report's main thrust was "misleading and misplaced."

In a 42-page brief to the provincial government, Gulf says the report addressed matters affecting dealers — a special interest group — rather than the overall retailing structure.

The company also says the industry was denied the opportunity to challenge concepts and information on which the report's recommendations were based.

The report was commissioned by the former New Democratic Party government and was released last December, shortly after the NDP was defeated in the Dec. 11 provincial general election.

Gulf says the recommendation that major oil companies be curbed in the retail market is the same as suggesting supermarkets be curbed to protect corner grocery stores.

The company also denies excessive profit-taking or inefficiency, pointing out that Gulf's 1.6-cent-a-gallon profit in 1975 and a 7.3-per-cent return on capital investment during the past five years cannot be called excessive.

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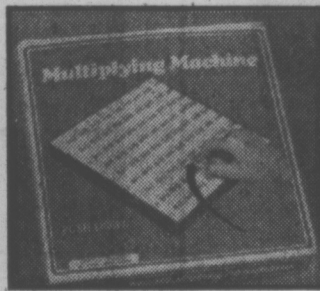
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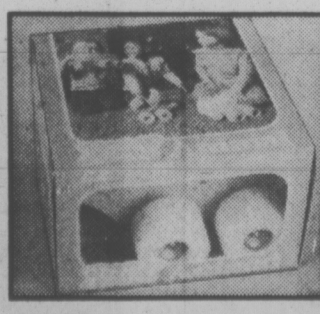
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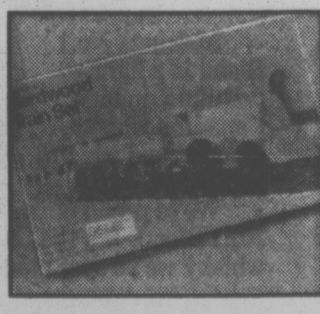
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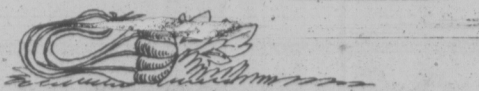
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### GOURDS

more than 4,000 years old have been found intact in Egyptian tombs and many historians now believe that some varieties were cultivated even before corn (which has long been regarded as the earliest of all crops).

During pioneer times, hollowed-out gourds were the universal drinking cup and many a Colonial home contained cooking utensils, dishes, toys and musical instruments made from the hard-shelled fruit.

Most back-to-the landers and other rural folks just plant gourds for the fun of it today. They're easy to raise, take up very little space and require almost no attention.



### Decorations

There are more kinds and colors of gourds than tail feathers on a turkey farm... and they're all downright handy! Small, thin-skinned varieties are generally used as colorful table decorations and should be wiped — not washed — off and waxed, shellacked, or varnished immediately after picking.

Large hard-shelled gourds will last for many years... but they must be dried first — for anywhere between one and six months — until the seeds inside rattle freely. At that point, you can use a knife to cut the shell to serve any purpose you wish and a file to smooth down any rough edges. Clean out the interior spongy fibers and seeds... but save those seeds for next year's garden!

And speaking of next year: Why not try shaping your gourds while they're still growing? Some folks create "Bottle-necked" by constricting a portion of each future container with soft tape and others form up-turned "handles" by frequently (but gently) bending the stems of immature long varieties!



dear abby

### Molested Must Say

DEAR ABBY: You've printed several letters about incest, including one suggesting that it could be the fault of the girls for tempting men by wearing provocative clothing.

Well, when I was a skinny 12-year-old (with a 28 AAA bra) I suffered the torment of hell when my own father couldn't resist my "Twiggy" figure.

I married the first man who asked me just to get out of the house, but because of those nightmarish experiences I was frigid and my marriage failed. I was forced to move back with my parents, and my father started in on me again. That's when I moved out for good.

Since then, I have heard of many cases and I was glad to see it mentioned in your column. Men like my father

don't deserve to be protected. Abby, I wish someone had let me know sooner that I should speak up instead of keeping quiet and feeling that I was in some way to blame.

Keep up the good work! BORN TOO SOON.

DEAR BORN: Incest frequently goes unpunished because the victims dread the humiliation of publicity and they fear reprisals. Children (both boys and girls) should be encouraged to speak up if anyone takes liberties with their bodies.

Adults who sexually abuse youngsters are sick, and their behavior is criminal. And the consequences of their crimes sometimes leave emotional scars that remain for a lifetime.

DEAR ABBY: My problem is beyond solving, but my loss

TORONTO (CP) — A good fight between marriage partners every now and then is necessary, says Rev. Bill Sparling, co-leader of a communication workshop for married couples.

"It clarifies issues if you work at it right and allows underlying emotions to be expressed," he said. "Fighting is tough. Passions are so involved."

Part of the workshop concentrates on teaching couples how to fight fairly. And how people fight has a lot to do with who the opponent is, Rev. Sparling said.

Intimate enemies frequently have a practised aim for the emotional juggle, marital counsellors say.

Parents fight with their children. Friends fight with friends. One of the toughest fights to pick, and win, is a fight with your boss, personnel experts say. The boss has all the power.

Picking fights or arguments amounts to a pastime for some people. Almost everyone knows somebody who has what the French call the contradictory spirit. They'd sooner argue than eat.

Others fear a fight and will go to almost any lengths to avoid conflict.

Elizabeth Bohnen of the YWCA, which offers about 12 courses in assertiveness training, said: "People are afraid they'll hurt other people's

feelings or lose a friendship." Some are afraid they'll be rejected by another person if they tell it like it is.

Women have a tougher time learning to fight clean, she said.

"Society teaches women to be passive. Women try manipulation to win an argument. They're taught to be coy or to use tears."

Dr. John Jameson, a Toronto psychiatrist who uses assertiveness-training techniques, said the method won't always ensure you'll come out a winner in every fight, but people will feel better by saying what they think instead of denying or hiding their true feelings.

"There's no foolproof way to win every argument. The

most you can do is employ certain techniques that will elicit people's co-operation and a hearing for your point of view."

He said the quickest way to lose an argument is to get sidetracked into peripheral issues, usually emotionally charged, that end up in a hassle with the original issue still left up in the air.

"Don't bring up the past," said Sparling. "A fight for some people is permission to bring up all the things that ever happened. Some people delve down into arsenals of past hurts and sling them at the other person."

The marital arena is often the scene of dirty fighting, he said. "Don't go into insults or blame because it alienates the

other person and doesn't deal with the real issue."

Sparling advises marriage partners to pick their moments. "It sounds silly, but some couples actually schedule their fights. That way they can confront their disagreements in quiet hours or without other distractions or irritations."

There are unreasonable people in the world, Dr. Jameson said. You may have a sane, wise, logical suggestion, but if someone doesn't want to accept it, there's no way you are going to get them to do what you want.

The experts offered several tips on how to conduct a fight with an eye to victory.

—Know what you want to say. Marshal your arguments.

Rehearse with a friend. Stick to the point. Don't make two points at once. Look your best. Keep eye contact.

—Flatter the other guy's ego. Stand up, move around.

Don't raise your voice. Don't name-call. Take deep breaths. Don't cry. If your hands shake, don't smoke. Talk fast. Know when to bow out. If things get violent, duck.

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## 'Girls Don't Do That' Should Never Be Said

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — Girls should never be told, "That's not for girls" or "don't do that—girls don't do that," says Dr. Robert Mason, chief psychiatrist at Windsor Western Hospital Centre.

Dr. Mason is a believer in the "blurring of roles." That is, he feels a girl should be encouraged to express her interests, no matter what they are.

"Ensure all children in the family take a turn at doing each and every household chore," he said in an interview. "Impress upon father that he has a very important role to play, particularly during a daughter's teen years, and allow her to see firsthand an open communication and a relationship of equals between her parents."

Dr. Mason said that if a girl wants to take ballet lessons that is fine but that she shouldn't be discouraged from karate, judo or hockey.

He said it is important not to force a girl into a tight role and narrow her vistas.

Dr. Mason said fathers should make certain they give their daughters enough affection and attention.

"A father should respond to his daughter," he said. "They like to be admired from weets. Affection helps them to develop their own identity. I always made sure I complimented my daughters when praise was deserved."

Dr. Mason is the father of three girls.

The doctor said lack of attention from a father is a factor in neurosis and emotional problems in girls.

"In virtually every case where there is a neurosis or an emotional problem in a woman, there has been a lack of affection from father during the formative years."

Dr. Mason said it is also a "awfully important" for parents to counsel children regarding changes in the body. He acknowledged that, in the case of a girl, the mother has the largest role to play in informing of impending maturity, and said she should not shirk the responsibility.

He said a mother should sit down with the girl and explain, with tenderness and sensitivity, such changes as development of the breasts and menstruation.

"So often, a poor self-image and anger is created in a girl because mother didn't take her shopping but instead gave her some old bra that was three sizes too large."

Dr. Susan London, a psychologist said parents who have high ambitions for their daughters should, introduce them to women professionals.

They should take their daughters, for example, to a woman doctor, or introduce them to women in key industry jobs. Making their daughters aware of famous women also helps.



### your health

### Herbal Cigarettes Can Be Harmful

A family argument needs your expertise. My daughter, 16, and many of her friends smoke herbal cigarettes. I feel that not enough is known about these cigarettes for me to give my sanction for her to continue. — Mrs. H.R., Pa.

Dear Mrs. R.: You are very wise to be wary of a problem that seems to be involving many young people throughout the country.

Herbal cigarettes do not carry the Surgeon-General's warning of potential danger. They should. For many of these cigarettes contain a large amount of chemicals that can cause unpleasant physical and emotional reactions, even hallucinations.

There are, on the open market, more than 400 types of herbs and spices used in the form of teas or in cigarettes. These are available in health food stores and can even be purchased by mail order, by children of any age!

Isn't it a paradox that such potentially dangerous substances are legally carried by "healthy food" stores?

Dr. Roland Siegel, of the University of California School of Medicine, says, "Many of these preparations contain substantial amounts of psychoactive substances and their use has resulted in a number of intoxications that require medical attention."

He further states, "While the use of herbal medicines dates back to ancient Chinese and early Greek practice, non-medical experimentation with herbal intoxicants is having a recent revival as the users search for legal alternatives to the ever-increasing list of restricted drugs."

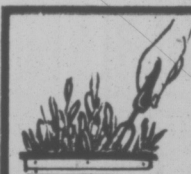
"Most of these herbs are purchased for their apparent marijuana-like effects."

So, Mrs. R., you can see that there is "enough known" about these herbal cigarettes for your daughter to discontinue their use at once.

It seems as if I waste my entire day whenever I go to visit my doctor. Why should we be kept waiting so long in a doctor's office? — Mr. J. E. Tex.

Dear Mr. E.: As a practising physician, I find that I have tremendous respect for my patient's time. I'm sure that most physicians feel this way.

But it isn't always easy to anticipate how much time each patient will require. A special situation may arise and the doctor becomes unavoidably "jammed up." To some patients with unusual anxiety, a delay of minutes may seem to be hours. A recent survey, conducted by the American Medical Association, found that the national average of waiting in doctor's offices is 20 minutes.



### indoor gardens

By LYNN and JOEL RAPP

DEAR LYNN AND JOEL: I have many plants in my bathroom. Lately some of them have not been doing too well, yet I've not changed my methods of caring for them. Could my aerosol deodorants and air fresheners be bad for bathroom plants? — Kathy.

DEAR KATHY: Yes! And they don't do us any good ei-

ther! If aerosols must be used on or around plants, yourself or any living creature, stand at least 18-24 inches away while spraying and do not inhale!

Why don't you stop using the aerosol for a while and see if your plants don't improve. Give them a bath with warm soapy water and rinse well. There's nothing like fresh air, so open your windows! It's really very simple: When we follow our instincts and use our common sense, we discover the natural way is usually best.

### FREE FOR THE ASKING

By HARRIET HART

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Trust K mart to come up with such a handsome buy... just when you're starting your Christmas shopping. You'll love the styles. You'll love the soft, supple top grained leather. And you can't help but love our price! They're the "money keepers". To have and to hold, this Christmas.

Your Choice

**5.64**

**10 OZ. BOX CHERRY CHOCOLATES**

Lusciously ripe maraschino cherries smothered in a creamy blanket of smooth milk chocolate. A taste delight! 10 oz. box.

K mart Price

**1.27**

**DELICIOUS TURTLES CHOCOLATES**

Yummy chocolate Turtles... the pet treat for all ages. Boxed for gift giving. In a "made for sharing" 14 oz. box.

K mart Price

**2.37**





**LONG SLEEVE PULLOVERS FOR MOMS & DAUGHTERS**

The cosiest mix n' match selection of pull-overs ever arranged for little girls and their moms! Misses' size pullovers of smooth, 100% Nylon in mock or turtle neck styles. Girls' 100% Acrylic pullovers with embroidered design on front. Great colours. Misses' S-M-L. Girls' 4-6X.

*Your Choice* **196** ea.



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**GIRLS' SWEET & SASSY 2 PIECE SKI SUITS**

Put the heat on rising costs with the buy you know won't leave you out in the cold! Ski suits are quality made from the extra warm combination of Nylon Taffeta shell, Polyester fibre filling & Nylon lining. Hi-styled too with 3-tone bib top pants, flashing a side stripe, and neat fitting jacket with Nylon zipper front. Gold or Blue colour combinations. 7-14.

K mart Price **15<sup>74</sup>**

YOUR ALWAYS WELCOME

master charge CHARGE X



**GIRLS' 7 TO 14 SHORT SNORKEL JACKETS**

Nylon Neoprene jackets with cozy Polyester fibre filling and Nylon lining. Nylon quilt lined sleeves. Acrylic fur trimmed hood. Navy, Green or Brown.

K mart Price **13<sup>74</sup>**



**A Great Gift Idea FOR A VERY LUCKY LADY... HAT & SCARF SETS**

Lucky is the lady who can wrap herself up in one of these warm 85% Orlon®, 15% Mohair hat and scarf sets! This season's latest colours. 1 size fits all. Reg'd T.M.

K mart Price **5<sup>44</sup>**

**SMOOTH NYLON BRIEFS**

Full style briefs in pretty pastel shades. 1 size fit.

K mart Price **67¢**

**LADIES' ACRYLIC GLOVES**

With Vinyl palm and back. 4 smart styles in assorted colours. S-M-L.

K mart Price **1<sup>77</sup>**

*Give the Gift of Beautiful Dreaming*

**ELEGANT LONG GOWNS**

Slumber-soft Nylon gowns with V-neck and lace accents. Peach, Blue or Bone. S-M-L.

K mart Price **3<sup>99</sup>**

**SAVE \$2.91 ON MISSES' LONG QUILT DUSTERS**

Quilted Acetate dusters with cozy Polyester fibre filling. Pastel shades. S-M-L.

K mart Regular List Price 8.57  
K mart Special **5<sup>66</sup>**

**PEASANT STYLE GOWNS**

Made from a softly brushed 80% Acetate, 20% Nylon blend. Blue, Pink or Peach. S-M-L.

K mart Price **3<sup>73</sup>**

**LADIES "SOFT STEP" HOUSESLIPPERS**

Soft n' fluffy houseslippers with thick foam sole for extra comfort. Canadian Made.

K mart Price **1<sup>42</sup>**

**BOOTIE OR MULE STYLE HOUSESLIPPERS**

Charming "at home" slippers with the accent on comfort!

K mart Price **4<sup>12</sup>**

**SOLE**

**THE POP PLEASER—ENVOY SLIPPERS**

A natural "Pop pleaser" this Christmas! Canadian made slippers in Assorted plaids.

K mart Price **3<sup>92</sup>**



# Christmas Shopping Buys...

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## MISSES' HIGH STYLE 2 PIECE PANT SUITS

Perfect for the girl who's proud of style and versatility in her wardrobe... and proud of the modest price she's paid for it! Tops with co-ordinating pull-on pants are conveniently made of 100% Polyester knit for no-fuss care and no-muss wear! Available in a lively selection of Jacquard patterns in rich, easy-to-fall for Fall tones. Misses sizes: 10-18.

K mart price  
**12<sup>88</sup>**



### BOYS' (8-18) EASY GOIN' CORD PANTS

Soft yet long wearing Corduroy pants with zip fly, dome top, and belt loops. Fall colours.

K mart Price **3<sup>33</sup>**



### JR. BOYS' CORDUROY PANTS (7-12)

With half boxer waist for comfy fit. Zipper fly and front belt loops. 100% Cotton Corduroy.

K mart Price **2<sup>77</sup>**

## MATES



### LADIES HI-STYLE COCKTAIL BOOTS

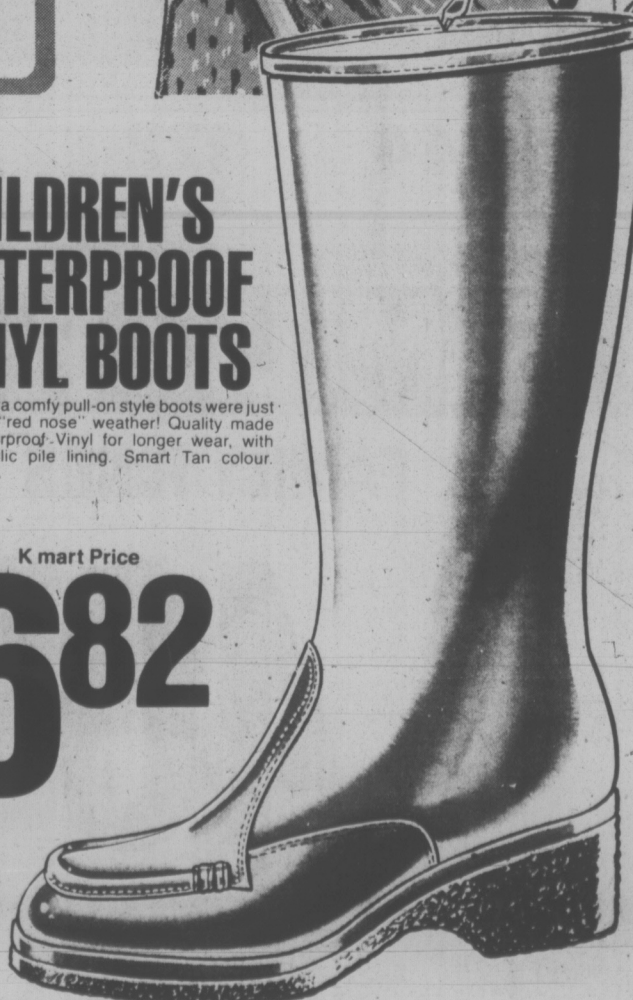
Get it together this Winter with the boot that combines classic styling and water-proof sensibility! Basic Black. Not as Illustrated.

K mart Price **8<sup>84</sup>**

## CHILDREN'S WATERPROOF VINYL BOOTS

These extra comfy pull-on style boots were just made for "red nose" weather! Quality made from waterproof Vinyl for longer wear, with cosy Acrylic pile lining. Smart Tan colour.

K mart Price **6<sup>82</sup>**



## CHILDREN'S COSY WARM SKI SUITS

Put your trust in the suit you know will keep them warm. Jacket with zipper front & domed collar. Matching ski pants. Bold colours. 4-6X.

List Price 16.73  
K mart Price

**10<sup>84</sup>**



## SAVE \$6.00 ON MISSES' NYLON SKI JACKETS

Smartly styled jackets with the accent on fashion fun! Made from wind-breaking Nylon Taffeta, with cosy Polyester fibre filling and Nylon lining. "Action" colours. Sizes: S-M-L.

K mart Regular List Price 17.77  
K mart Special

**11<sup>77</sup>**



## SLEEK NYLON SHIRTS

A real "smoothie"! 100% Nylon shirts in your choice of three styles. In rich Fall colours that mix 'n' match beautifully! Assorted Misses' sizes.

K mart Price

**2<sup>99</sup>**



## MISSES' COMFY 100% POLYESTER PULL-ON PANTS

Always #1 on your list of "reliables"! Extra comfy pull-ons, made of carefree Polyester for practicality plus! Available in this year's popular "tweed" look style - Navy or Grey. Sizes: 10-18.

K mart Price

**4<sup>88</sup>**





**SAVE \$7.09  
ON THESE TWO  
EXCITING GAMES  
AND BE A WINNER!**

K mart Regular List Price 29.97 each

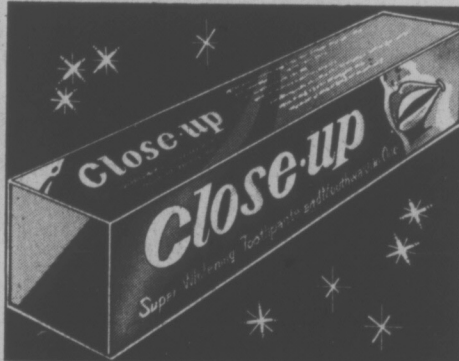
*Your Choice*

**22<sup>88</sup>** ea.

**NHL HOCKEY GAME:**  
The game where you score all the fun and action of NHL Stanley Cup hockey. Players can be controlled to shoot, block and score with just a twist of a knob. Game stands on sturdy tubular steel legs.

**CHAMP POOL TABLE:**  
Your "cue" to challenging fun! Table features billiard green surface, live action cushions and ball return, sturdy construction with steel legs and panels. Cues, balls and triangle included. Approx. 45" x 22".

*Here's To Your  
Health & Beauty!*



**POPULAR  
CLOSE-UP  
TOOTHPASTE**

The closer you get... the more you appreciate Close-Up. Green or Red flavours. 100 ml.  
LIMIT 2 PER CUSTOMER.

**87<sup>c</sup>** 100 ml



**BAYER  
ASPIRINS<sup>300's</sup>**

Effective Bayer Aspirin in economical 300 tablet bottle.  
LIMIT 2 PER CUSTOMER.

**1<sup>83</sup>** 300 tablets



**LYSOL  
DISINFECTANT  
SPRAY**

13 oz. spray can of handy Lysol disinfectant.  
LIMIT 2 PER CUSTOMER.

**1<sup>33</sup>** 13 oz.

**4 BARS  
DIAL BEAUTY  
SOAP**

Gentle Dial soap in Gold, Aqua, Pink or White.  
LIMIT 2 PKGS. PER CUSTOMER.

**87<sup>c</sup>** pkg. of 4

**K mart**  
Gives Satisfaction Always!

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**6 MILLION DOLLAR  
MAN GAME FROM  
PARKER BROTHERS**

An adventure-packed "Bionic" board game that keeps them on their toes until the disaster problem is solved! 6 Million Dollar Man game includes complete instructions and 4 "mind-boggling" assignments. For 2 or 4 players.

K mart  
Price

**2<sup>99</sup>**



**CUTE &  
CUDDLY  
"TEDDYS"**

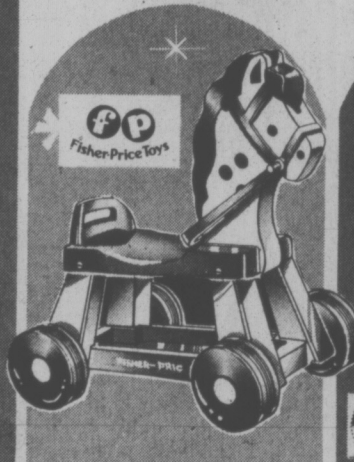
These giant plush bears have a soft spot for children! Comes in sitting position. Approx. 31" tall.

*Your  
Choice*

**LEGO  
PLASTIC  
FUN SETS**

Give them the gift of safe, creative play with a Lego Basic Gift Set! Includes 349 easy-interlocking pieces.

**9<sup>99</sup>** ea.



**PRE-SCHOOLERS  
PLAYTIME  
RIDING HORSE**

The first riding horse for toddlers! Rolls easily on wide track wheels making a "clippity clop" sound. For 1 to 3 years.

K mart  
Special

**16<sup>44</sup>**



**TWIST 'N' TURN  
HIGH-FASHION  
BARTIE DOLLS**

Beautiful Barbie can be posed just like a real fashion model. With long comb through hair. Approx. 11 1/2" tall.

K mart  
Price

**1<sup>22</sup>**



**6 HOT WHEEL  
ACTION CARS  
FROM MATTEL**

Make it a merrier Christmas with an action-packed assortment of 6 sturdy "Hot Wheels". Popular models to choose from.

K mart  
Price

**3<sup>66</sup>**



**BERMUDA TRIANGLE  
GAME OF MAGIC  
AND MYSTERY**

Be on the lookout for the ominous "Mystery Cloud" as you steer your ship through the magical Bermuda Triangle! For 2 or 4 players. Ages 8 to adult.

K mart  
Price

**5<sup>83</sup>**

**A FAMILY'S Pride and Joy..**

**Kamelot FAMILY RINGS**

There's a special pride that Mom will feel everytime she looks at her family ring by Kamelot. Each stone signifies the birth of a loved one. And each is a bright reminder of the love you feel for her. Rings are available in a stunning collection of designs, all set in precious 10 karat gold, with a factory guarantee of craftsmanship. Come into K mart today and choose the style you feel best symbolizes the joy she brings and let the glow of Christmas shine... all year through.

K mart Price

From

**40<sup>77</sup>**





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## EVEL KNieVEL ACTION POWER TOOTHBRUSH

Just what they ordered for brushing fun... and just what you ordered for longer brushing! Evel Knievel battery powered toothbrush is easy to use too, so it's great for any child of 3 or over. Uses 2 "D" size batteries, not included.

K mart Price

4<sup>99</sup>

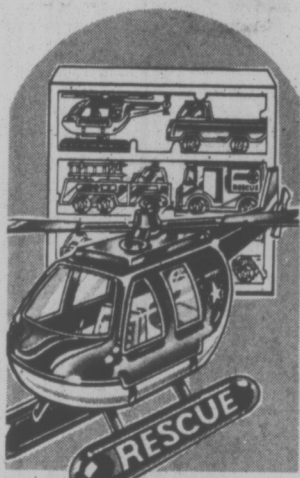


## SCHROEDER'S PLAY-PIANO MUSICAL TOY

It's party-time! And the Peanuts pals are popping up everywhere, everytime you push the color coded keys on Schroeder's party piano! Comes with music sheet and "C" size battery.

K mart Special

10<sup>97</sup>

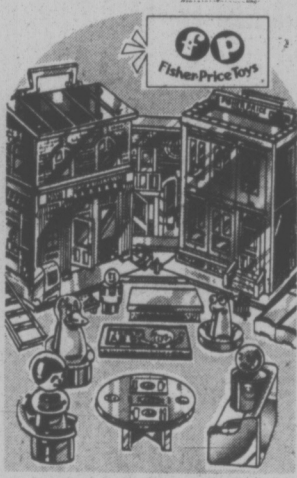


## THE EMERGENCY RESCUE SET FROM IRWIN

Includes 5 rescue vehicles for hours of playtime fun. Ages 5 and up.

K mart Price

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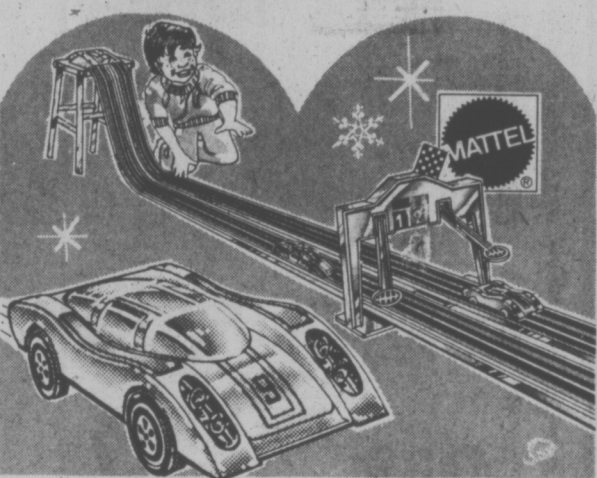


## SESAME STREET FUN PACKED PLAY SETS

Replica of the Sesame Street set and all the gang. 26 play pieces.

K mart Special

19<sup>94</sup>



## Speed Stunter FLYING COLOUR CAR

A thrilling gift for the "racey" set. Comes with easy-to-arrange 14' track, joiners, clamp, trestle and zippy "Flying Colours" car.

K mart Price

3<sup>66</sup>



## POLAROID PRONTO CAMERA ... TAKE IT HOME THIS CHRISTMAS!

Trust your Polaroid Pronto to take it... and make it the merriest Christmas ever! Uses convenient 10-shot flash bar and is equipped to develop your colour pictures before your very eyes! Takes pictures from 3 feet to infinity outdoors, and 3 feet to 12 feet with flash. Weighs only 16 oz.

K mart Price

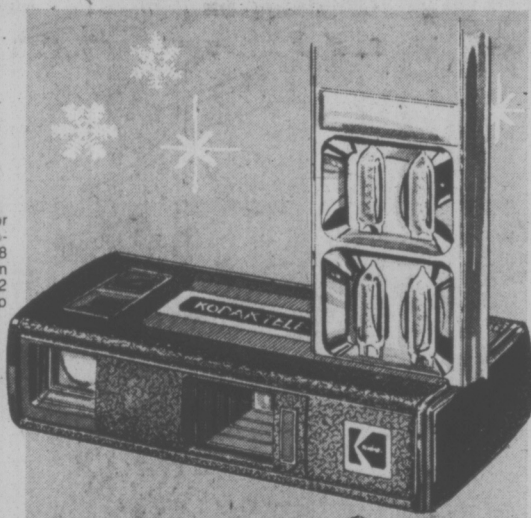
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## KODAK 608 TELE INSTAMATIC CAMERA

A "picture perfect" gift idea for someone special! Outfit includes Tele Instamatic 608 camera with 1/11 lens, 25 mm normal, 45 mm telephoto, 2 speed shutter, 110 film and flip flash.

K mart Price

34<sup>76</sup>



## KODAK AX-15FR CAMERA OUTFIT

Perfect for the beginner! AX-15FR camera features automatic flash control, sharp pre-set lens and double exposure prevention.

K mart Price

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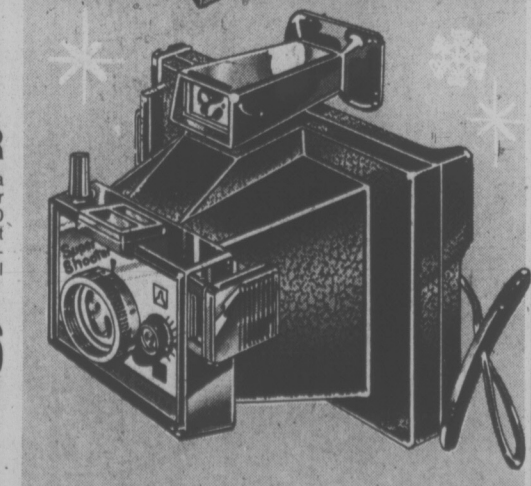


## SNAP-UP POLAROID'S SUPER SHOOTER

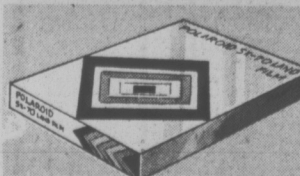
And make picture taking a snap! Provides big, super colour pictures in just 60 seconds. Uses 5 different types of film. Features automatic exposure control and sharp 3 element lens.

K mart Price

26<sup>36</sup>



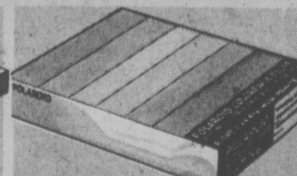
## Kmart FILM FESTIVAL SAVES YOU MONEY



POLAROID SX-70 FILM

K mart Price

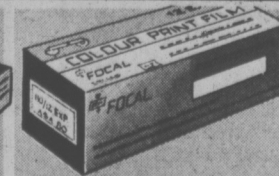
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POLAROID 108 FILM

K mart Price

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FOCAL FP110/12 OR FP126/12 FILM

Your Choice

89<sup>6</sup>



KODACOLOR C110/12 FILM

K mart Price

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FOCAL FP135/20 FILM

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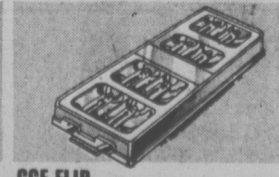
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KODACOLOR C126/12 FILM

K mart Price

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CCE FLIP FLASH

K mart Price

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CCE "X" MAGICUBE

K mart Price

1<sup>99</sup>





**SAVE \$1.52! O-CEDAR  
ZOOM-A-LON MOPS**  
1 piece frame with Chromé plated  
socket. Removable mitt for easy  
washing. 4 colours.

K mart Regular List Price 4.99  
K mart Special

**347**



**SAVE \$1.00! HANDY  
GLEEM SPONGE MOPS**

With Nickel-plated rust proof frame,  
thirsty Cellulose sponge, and 48"  
handle.

K mart Regular List Price 3.33  
K mart Special

**233**

GLEEM REFILLS  
K mart Price

**88c**

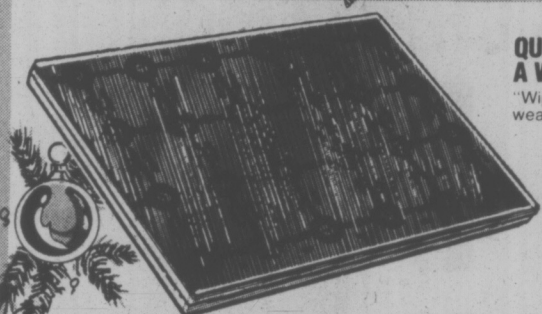


**SAVE \$1.90! O-CEDAR  
SWEEP QUEEN BROOM**

Has flair tip bristles that attract and hold  
dirt for easy sweeping!

K mart Regular List Price 5.17  
K mart Special

**327**

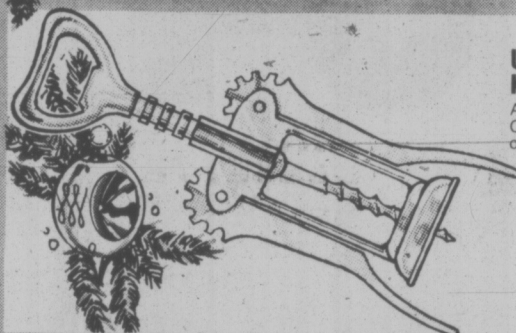


**QUALITY DOOR MATS AT  
A WELCOMING PRICE!**

"Wipe-out" tracked-in dirt with a long  
wearing, heavy duty door mat!

K mart Price

**222**



**UNCORK THIS GREAT  
K mart VALUE -**

A must for every well equipped kitchen!  
Corkscrew has metal wings for easy  
opening.

K mart Price

**169**



**DELICATE PORCELAIN  
FLOWER BOUQUETS**

These pretty pieces let you enjoy  
your favourite blossoms all year round.

K mart Price

**269**



**SAVE \$4.03! 3 PCE.  
TEAPOT SETS**

4 charming sets, each with teapot,  
matching creamer and open sugar  
bowl.

K mart Regular List Price 9.97  
K mart Special

**594**



**For the Festive Season...  
Ruby Stemware**

**197**

Adds the sparkle of elegance  
to any festive table setting!  
Goblet, Wine, and Cham-  
pagne/Sherbert! Sets avail-  
able. 4 glasses to a set.

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Gives Satisfaction Always!

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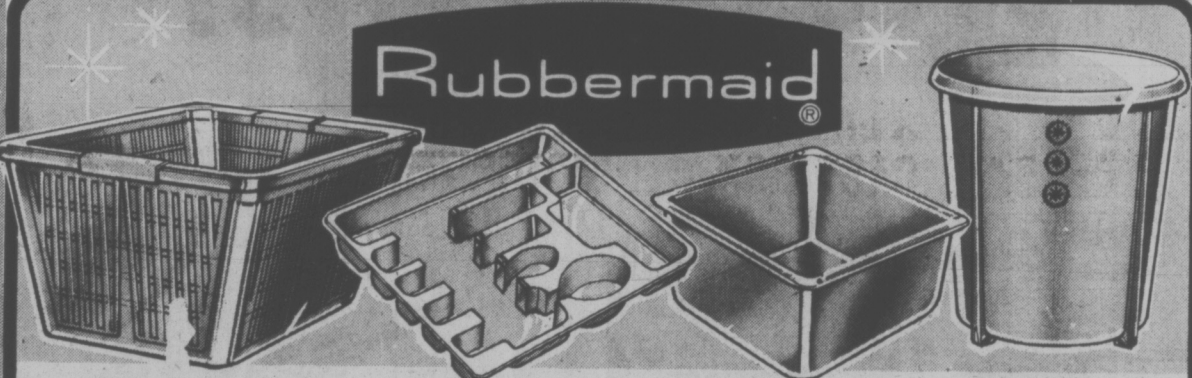


**HANDY  
ASSORTMENT OF  
QUALITY TOOLS**

The perfect "set-up" for  
any handyman, whether  
his workshop is just  
starting... or just needs  
finishing! Assortment  
includes: 3-way C  
clamps, pliers, drill sets,  
etc. — all quality made  
for quality making!

Your  
Choice

**144**  
ea.



**Rubbermaid**

**STURDY  
LAUNDRY  
BASKETS**

In Avocado, Chocolate, Gold, or  
Yellow. Approx. 22 1/2" x 16 1/4" x  
10 3/4".

K mart Price  
**266**

**5 PART  
CUTLERY  
TRAYS**

White, Gold, Chocolate, or Av-  
ocado. 5 compartments.

K mart Price  
**127**

**HANDY  
SQUARE  
DISHPANS**

Gold, Chocolate, Avocado or  
White. Approx. 12 1/4" x 14 1/4" x  
5 1/4".

K mart Price  
**147**

**VANITY  
WASTE  
BASKETS**

Pink, White, Gold, Avocado or  
Chocolate with decorated side.

K mart Price  
**117**



**2 POPULAR SIZES OF  
BLUE OVAL ROASTERS**

Both sizes have built-in gravy well and lid.

**12 LB. ROAST/  
9 LB. FOWL**

K mart Regular List Price 6.17  
K mart Special

**399**

**18 LBS. ROAST/  
15 LB. FOWL**

K mart Regular List Price 7.66  
K mart Special

**499**



**COLONIAL  
HURRICANE  
LAMPS**

Never has such brilliant  
art been so affordable!  
With quaint, hand-  
painted floral designs.

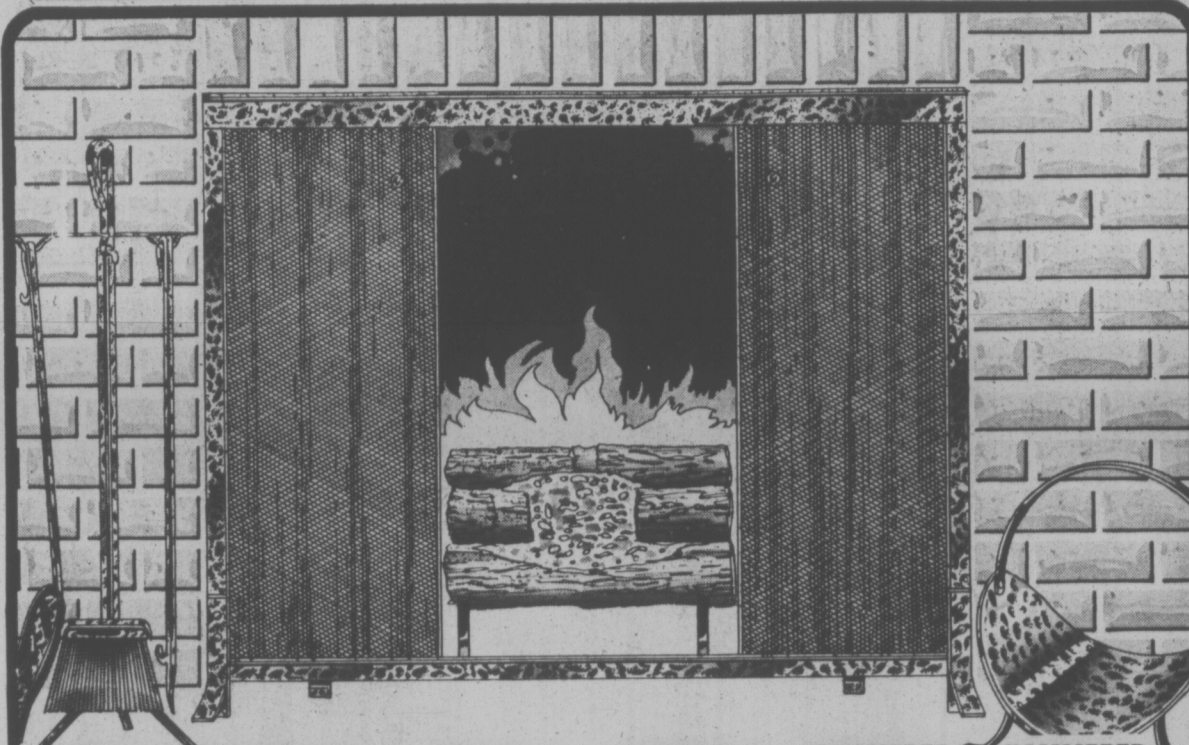
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**39<sup>99</sup>**



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## SWEDISH HEARTH-SIDE FIRE SETS

Once the mood is set, keep it going with this elegant 4 piece fire set! Includes stand, shovel, brush, & poker.

K mart Price

**16<sup>99</sup>**

## SWEDISH HEARTH-SIDE WOODHOLDER

A decorative touch to any fireplace! Woodholder stands on 4 legs, and has sturdy, yet smartly designed handle. Approx. size: 12" x 17"

K mart Price

**13<sup>99</sup>**

## SWEDISH HEARTH-SIDE FIRE SCREEN

A dramatic dimension to your fireplace that keeps sparks and cinders where they belong! Approx. size: 36" x 28"

K mart Price

**24<sup>99</sup>**

## HAMMERED BRASS TOOL SETS

Rich looking, Hearthside hammered brass tool sets include poker, brush, and shovel that fit in special stand.

K mart Price

**19<sup>99</sup>**

## HAMMERED BRASS WOODHOLDER

Give your home that cozy, Chalet look this Christmas with one of these handsome woodholders! Approx. size: 12" x 17"

K mart Price

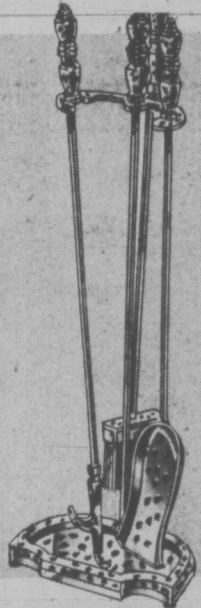
**14<sup>99</sup>**

## HAMMERED BRASS FIRE SCREEN

Add some warmth to your Winter festivities with this distinctive hearthside hammered brass screen! Approx. size: 36" x 28"

K mart Price

**27<sup>99</sup>**



## 3 PIECE CAST IRON FIRE SETS WITH STAND

A stunning set, made from cast iron for lasting service. Traditional "Silver-Black" finish. Sets consists of brush, shovel, poker and stand.

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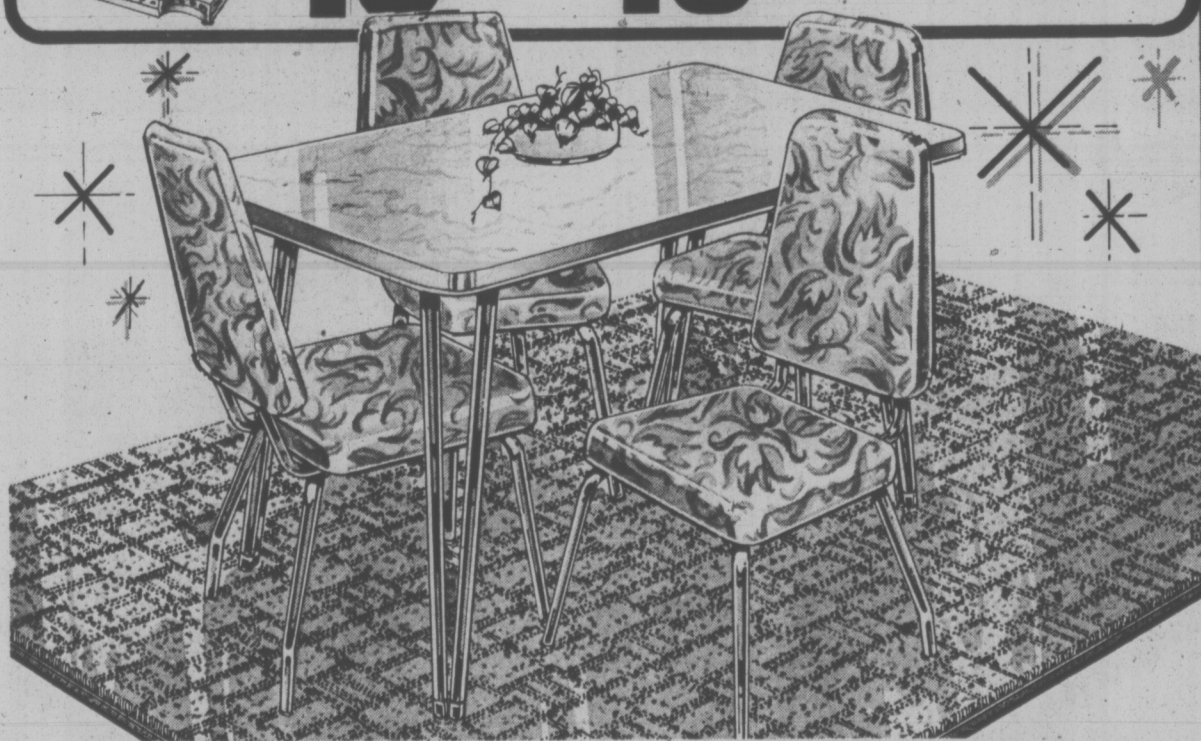
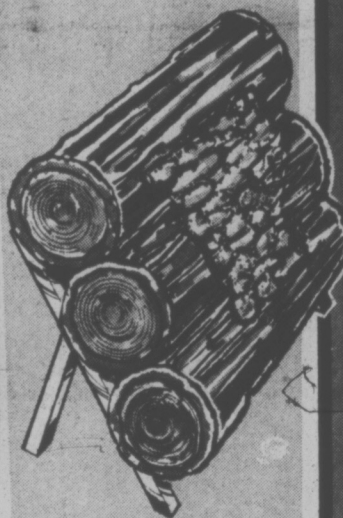
**19<sup>99</sup>**

## ELECTRIC MOTORIZED CYLINDER OAK LOGS

Burn your fires bright this Christmas with an ever-brilliant Oak Cylinder log! Convenient to use and completely safe. Measures approx: 20" x 9" x 7 1/2"

K mart Price

**19<sup>99</sup>**



## BEAUTIFUL COBBLESTONE AREA RUGS - 9'X12'

A handsome buy that lets you cover a lot of ground inexpensively! Quality made Cobblestone rugs come in "level loop" print for that thick textured look in Red, Rust, Sand, Beige or Green earth colours. Approx. 9' x 12'

K mart Price

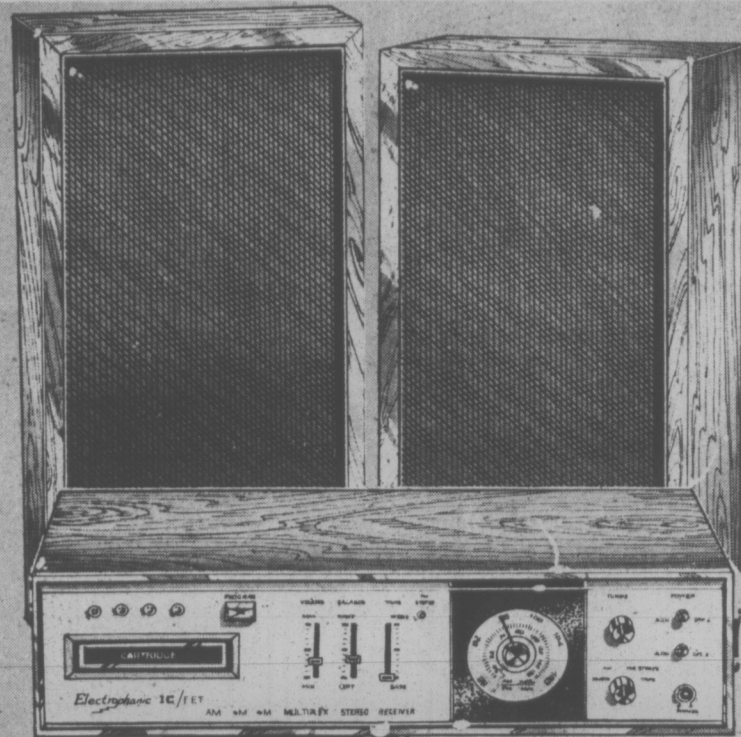
**59<sup>99</sup>**

## CHARMING 'N PRACTICAL 5 PCE. DINETTE SETS

These sturdy, tubular Chrome constructed dinette sets were designed with modern living in mind! Set includes 4 Vinyl-padded chairs in Green or Walnut floral designs, and matching table in "Marble" or "Parquet" pattern. Table approx: 30" x 40" x 48"

K mart Price

**78<sup>44</sup>**



## FINE QUALITY AM/FM 4 CHANNEL STEREO COMPONENT WITH TWO SPEAKERS

A worthy system... at a price worth noting! AM/FM stereo component set boasts these fine features: built-in 8 track; slide controls for all functions; FM stereo indicator light and 8 track indicator light; Matrix switch for 4 channel sound; solid state circuitry; head-phone jack. Comes complete with 2 speakers. Handsome Woodgrain cabinetry.

K mart Price

**88<sup>88</sup>**

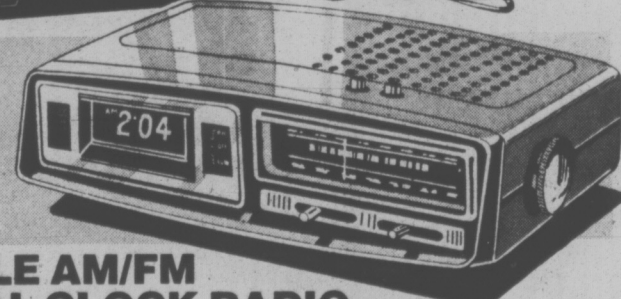


## AIKO CASSETTE RECORDERS

Make your own kind of music... to the tune of "sound savings"! Solid State recorders feature automatic level control for perfect recording. 1 cassette tape & batteries included.

K mart Price

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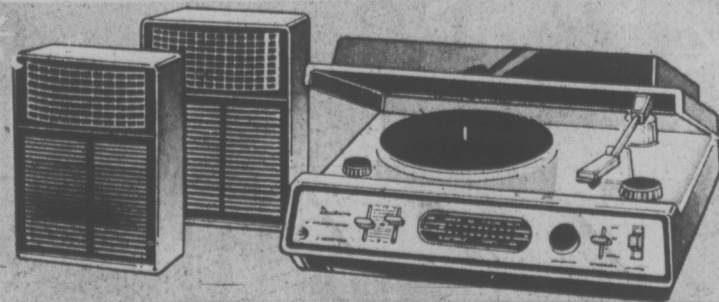


## CANDLE AM/FM DIGITAL CLOCK RADIO

Features: automatic on/off selector, dial pointer for station selections, adjustment, alarm and volume controls, and built-in AFC antenna.

K mart Price

**27<sup>27</sup>**



## DORCHESTER AM/FM RADIO STEREO RECORD PLAYER COMPONENT SYSTEM

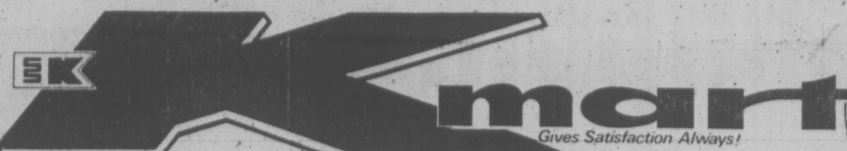
A combination AM/FM radio stereo and record player component with powerful tuner amplifier, twin slide Volume controls, manual record changer and dust cover. Sturdy Plastic construction. White with Black trim.

K mart Price

**49<sup>97</sup>**



**SAVE  
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